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## BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

Avalanche Office, in Avalanche Building, 22 Jefferson street.
Anderson & Co., E. M., cotton factors and commission merchants, 236½ Front and 6 Jefferson streets.
Allison Brothers, hardware, 229 Main street.
Boone & Co., O. C., cotton and tobacco factors, Avalanche Building, Jefferson street.
Benham, Hendrix & Co., rectifiers, 10 Adams street.
Black, Estes & Co., cotton factors and commission merchants, Cooper Block, Monroe street.
Bisiock & Co., booksellers and stationers, 313 Main street.
Buckly, F., manufacturer of gentlemen's boots and shoes 341 Main street.
Boers & Co., James T., steamboat agents, 12 Jefferson street.
Cameron & Co., J. H., Finley Churn Dasher, 3½ Main street.
Chamberlin & Co., C. F., booksellers and stationers, 187 Main street.
Clarke & Co., S. H., insurance agents, corner Front and Jefferson streets.
Cleaves & Co., C. C., booksellers and stationers, 311 Second street.
Copperthwait, Chapman & Co., books and stationery, 279½ Main street.
Carolina Insurance Company, of Memphis, Tenn., office 251 Main street.
Craig & Co., R. G., seed store, 279 Main street, in the Jackson Block.
Cubbins, Gunn & Coover, planing mill and lumber yard, 161, 163 and 165 Washington street.
Coonen & Eakin, cotton gin and pickery, foot of Market street.
Cash, J. H., cotton and produce factor, 238 Front street.
Cubbins & ——nan, iron founders and machinists, Adams street, near Bayou.
Cayce's Co., M. C., general auctioneers, 366 Main street.
Christian & Co., J. A., storage for cotton and merchandise Navy Yard
Davis, A. F., practical house and sign painter, 8 Union street.
Dougherty, Wm., marble works and marble mantel warerooms, 9 Front street, above Market.
Desoto Bank of Memphis, 20 Madison street.
Dickinson & Bro., J. W., cotton factors and commission merchants, 210 Front street.
Dillinger & Co., J., china, glass and queensware, 41 North Court street.
Europ an Assurance Society, office 279 Main street.
Emmet Savings Institution, 8 Madison street.
Elson Brothers, dry goods, 297 Main street.
Fargason, Cordes & Co., grocers, 328 Front street.
Fowlkes & Steffey, cotton factors and commission merchants, 193 Second street and 43 Washington.
Finnie, Beckham & Chapman, groceries and family supplies, 320 Main street.
Fitzgerald & Co., H., grocers, produce dealers and commission merchants, 374 Front street.
Forster, Armhofer & Co., grocers, cotton factors and commission merchants, 209 Main street.
Franklin Insurance and Banking Company, corner of Jefferson and Front streets.
Green & Co., N. S., dealers in whisky, etc., 252 Front street
Guy, Alden, McCrea & Co., wholesale grocers and cotton factors, 208 Front street.
Hernando Insurance Company, No. 17 Madison street.
Harmstad, Larry, steamboat Agent, No. 14 Jefferson street.
Hill, Strange & Co., cotton factors and commission merchants, 11 Monroe street.
Hill & Co., John C., cotton and storage warehouse, Court street, near Bayou
Haller, Fisher & Co., grocers, cotton factors and commission merchants, 40 Madison street.
Hewitt Wood & Co., dry goods, Southern Palace, 331 Main street.
Heath, Lewis & Frazer, attorneys, corner Second and Main street.
Isinauer & Fritz dry goods, 255 Main street
Jeurs, Edward C., architect, 279½ Main street.
Jones, Brown & Co., cotton factors and commission merchants, 368 Front street.
Jones & Co., G. W., wholesale and retail druggists, 257 Main street.
Jones & Co., J. W. A., cotton factors and general commission merchants, 263 Front street, up stairs.
Johnson & Co., W. J., steamboat agents, Star Wharfboat, foot of Jefferson street.
Kenny & Porter, real estate brokers and general agents, No. 2 Kh Williams Block, corner of Madison and Second
Keller, Dr. J. M., office Jefferson street, Avalanche Editorial Rooms. Residence at General Hospital.
Kennedy, Williams & Russell, cotton factors and commission merchants, 268 Front street.
Knickerbocker Life Insurance Company, of New York, office corner of Jefferson and Front streets.
Lamb & Co., R. W., cotton and storage warehouse, Adams street, near Bayou.
Lacey & McGhee, cotton factors and commission merchants, 222 Front street.
Lane & Co., F., cotton factors and commission merchants corner of Union and Front streets.
Levett & Co., Joseph S., boot and shoe dealers, corner of Main and Union streets.
Lawrence & Carter, general commission and forwarding merchants, 228 Front street.
Levy & Co., A. S., auctioneers, Second street, between Union and Gayoso.
Linkhauer & Brother, agents, boot and shoemakers 281½ Second street.
Levy and Miller, general steamboat agents and forwarders 5 Madison street.
Lowenstein, B., staple and fancy dry goods 242 Main street
Lindauer, Arnold & Co., dry goods, 311 Main street.
Moody & Co., John R., commission and storage, 266 Front street.
Memphis and Charleston Railroad. Ticket office, Bethel Block, southeast corner Court and Main streets.
Moore, Whitfield & Co., cotton factors, storage and general commission merchants, No. 1 Howard's Row.
Merchants' National Bank, No. 8 Jefferson street.
Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad, office No. 5 Jefferson street, under Commercial Hotel.
Mosby & Dorion, commission merchants, 234 Front street
McNae & Walker, attorneys at law, Bethel Block.
McCombs & Co., sole agents Eagle Cotton Gins, 273½ and 324 Main street.
Megibben & Bro., liquor dealers, 281 Main street.
Martin & Donegan, cotton factors, commission and forwarding merchants, 12 Union street
Maydwell & Anderson, marble works, No. 59 Union street between Second and Third.
Murray & Ridgely, merchant tailor No. 21 Madison street, Memphis Tenn.
Miles & Stoddard, auctioneers, 271 Main street.
Menken Brothers, staple and fancy dry goods, 262 Main street
Mansfield & Higbee, wholesale druggists, 301 and 303 Main street.
Mulford, Clements & Co., storage for cotton and merchandise generally, Poplar street, near river.
Memphis and Ohio Railroad, office 257½ Main street.
Memphis and St. Louis Packet Company, Flem Calvert, superintendent.
New Memphis Theater, W. C. Thompson, manager, Jefferson street, below Third.
Neely & Co., J. C., cotton factors and commission merchants, 280 Front street
Nolan & Lindsay, house and sign painters, glaziers, etc., 37 Jefferson street.
Nathan, Henry, importer and wholesale dealer in wines liquors, cigars, etc., 23 Jefferson street.
North America Life Insurance Company, of New York John B Smith, general agent, 280 Front street.
Partee, McGehee & Co., cotton factors and commission merchants, Cooper Block, Monroe street.
Power & McGheoy, merchant tailors, 238 Second street.
People's Bank of Tennessee, 12 Madison street.
Passmore & Co., W. H., General Auctioneers, Vincent Block, Second street.
Perkins, Livingston & Post, cotton gins, presses and plantation machinery, 330 Main street, Memphis, Tenn.
Patrick & Co., J. M., cotton factors, 254 Front street.
Postoffice, corner of Third and Jefferson streets.
Planters' Insurance Company of Tennessee, 271 Front street.
Price & Treadwell, wholesale grocers, Lee Block, Union street.
Partee & Harbert, commission merchants, 14 Monroe street.
Rice, Stix & Co., dry goods, 307 Main street.
Roach & Co., A. G., wholesale grocers, 235 Front street.
Rawlings & Co., J. J., cotton factors and commission merchants, 254 Front street.
Robertson & Carter, cotton factors and commission merchants, 13 Union street.
Robinson & Co., Wm. A., founders and machinists, opposite Gayoso House.
Robeson, Sneed & Co., wholesale clothing, 305 Main street
Ruffin, Finney & Co., cotton factors, 13 Union street.
Royster, Trezevant & Co., Auctioneers and Real Estate Brokers, Ayres Block, Second street.
Stewart, W. L., cotton and commission merchant, 2 Bank alley.
Schabel & Co., J. F., stove dealers, 277 Main street.
Stead, Hiram, wholesale boots and shoes, 325 Main street.
Sullivan, Mrs. Sallie, millinery goods, 257 Main street, over Second's.
Sample, Mitchell & McGauley, cotton factors and commission merchants, 13 Union street.
Stanley, King & Smith, cotton factors and commission merchants, 272 Front street, up stairs.
St. Louis Mutual Life Insurance Company, McMahon & Otis, agents; office, 42 Madison street.
Smith & Leech, wholesale liquor dealers, 341 Second street.
Semmes & Co., B. J., importers and dealers in liquors, 284 Second street.
Shaw & Co., J. S., hardware, 223 Second street.
Swanwick & Co., W. T., lumber dealers, foot of Adams street.
Smith, Owen, undertaker, sec northeast corner Gayoso and Second streets.
Toof, S. C., Book and Job Printer, No. 15 West Court street.
Taylor, Cole & Co., cotton factors and commission merchants, 11 Monroe street.
Thomas & Arnold, dry goods, 203 Main street.
Toof, Phillips & Co., cotton factors, grocers and commission merchants, 266 Front street.
Tennessee State Mutual Insurance Company, of Memphis, office 15 Madison street
Titus & Co., cotton factors and commission merchants, 10 Jefferson street.
Tennessee Savings Institution, corner of Court and Main streets.
Tobin, Lynn & Co., cotton factors and grocers, 346 Main street.
Vinson & Donahue, steamboat agents, 284 Front street, up stairs.
Vernor & Hatchett, cotton factors and commission merchants, 235 Front street.
Van Brocklin, auctioneer, 13 Madison street.
Van Vleet, George W., agent Missouri State Lottery, 3 Jefferson street.
Waggener & Co., J. H., merchant tailors and dealers in ready-made clothing, 184 Main street.
Ward & Co., J. B., wholesale and retail druggists, 315 Main street.
Webb, S. M., & Co., cotton factors and commission merchants, Lee Block, Union street.
Worsham House, corner Main and Adams streets. C. B. Gallo... proprietor.
White, Kerr & Keenes, cotton factors, general commission and forwarding merchants, 306 Main street.
Wormeley, Joy & Co., cotton factors and commission merchants, Adams street, below Main.
Williams J. D., wholesale clothing, 327 Main street.
Williamson, Hill & Co., wholesale grocers, cotton factors and commission merchants, 280 Front street.
Walk & Co., Martin, wholesale grocers, cotton factors and commission merchants, 7 Front street.
Wright, W. F., storage and commission, 3 Promenade street.

## THE DAILY AVALANCHE.

The managing editor of the London *Times* has a salary of $25,000 a year.

Cincinnati is to be a port of entry and delivery—so Mr. Eggleston says in a bill to be offered by him next week.

The Senate on Friday confirmed the nomination of John S. Waldron as Treasurer of the branch mint at New Orleans.

Girls are seized in the streets of Utica, New York, and their long, beautiful tresses cut off for surreptitious sale.

Brigadier General Reynolds, commandant at Austin, Texas, has issued an address preparatory to turning civilian prisoners over to the State courts for trial.

The list of counterfeiters pardoned by the President will be presented to the Senate in a few days. It embraces only about thirty-five names.

Russell Jones, of Charlton, Massachusetts, chanced to hit his neck against a circular saw in his mill Friday, and in a second was beheaded.

There is a proposition before the Louisville city Council to license "sporting" houses of every description. The masses, the *Courier* says, seem to favor it.

Vallandigham's friends claim that he is gaining in the race for the Senatorship every hour, while Thurman's friends think differently.

General Grant's order assigning Brevet Major General Buchanan to command the sub-district of Louisiana, is suspended until further orders.

The Senate of this State has postponed, until the 15th of January, the bill conferring on negroes the right of holding office and sitting on juries.

A letter from Madrid, received in New York, says that the Spanish Cabinet are considering the cession of Cuba to the United States for $200,000,000.

Mrs. Myra Clark Gaines has returned to New Orleans for the purpose of renewing the prosecution of her claims to the estate of her father, Daniel Clark. She has been prosecuting these claims for over thirty years.

It is said that General John M. Palmer, who will probably be the Republican candidate for Governor of Illinois, will go into the canvass prepared to stump the State in favor of negro suffrage.

One of the largest claims now before Congress is that of an Indiana firm, for hay purchased for the Government, but destroyed by John Morgan, on the way down the Ohio river.

Mr. Johnson says Secretary Welles would have vindicated him in stronger terms than any other member of his Cabinet, had he been summoned before the Judiciary Committee. When the committee got ready to examine Mr. Welles, he was too sick to appear.

The public debt statement will show an increase of eight or ten millions, owing to heavy interest payments. Twenty-eight millions of coin will be required for the same purpose soon, but there are one hundred million dollars of coin in the treasury now.

Major G. W. Nichols, author of "Sherman's March to the Sea," is said to be engaged to Miss Longworth, daughter of the late Mr. Longworth, the Cincinnati millionaire. She is the wealthiest unmarried lady in the country.

Lord Amberly, son of Lord John Russell, called at the White House, with his wife, Friday, and was introduced to the President's family. Lady Amberly wore $50,000 worth of dry goods and ornaments, Jenkins says, on the occasion.

General Kiernan, formerly of Cincinnati, but a couple of years ago appointed Consul to Madagascar, has returned from his consulship and is in Washington. Most of his diplomatic predecessors have returned, if at all, in a long wooden box, but he comes back alive and well.

At Helena, Montana Territory, the President's message was published entire Friday morning, by the *Herald*, in advance of all papers north of Salt Lake. The *Herald* office was brilliantly illuminated in honor of its triumph. The citizens were enthusiastic over the event.

Mr. Stevens was in the House Saturday for a considerable time during the progress of the impeachment debate, but was finally compelled to leave the hall for his room, steadying himself feebly by the railings of the desks as he passed on his way out, showing signs of great physical exhaustion.

General Ward, of New Jersey, chairman of the National Republican Committee, arrived in Washington on Friday, to meet the rest of the committee for the purpose of naming a place for the meeting of the next National Republican Convention. Chicago is favored by a majority of the committee.

Charles Dickens' second reading at Boston was equally as attractive and successful as the first. The selections read were from "David Copperfield," and Mr. Bob Sawyer's party, from the "Pickwick Papers." The large audience was quite free in its bestowal of applause.

There is quite a split in Nashville in the Radical party, Secretary Fletcher being at the head of the opposition faction. That functionary has called a Convention to appoint a Radical Central Committee in opposition to the one already appointed. There is a good deal of bitterness manifested by the opposing clique.

Within the Metropolitan district of London, there are twenty-one cemeteries, comprising 577 acres of ground. In these cemeteries there have already been about half a million interments, and at least 40,000 are added to them every year. They are drained into the sewers, but in some cases the drainage is emptied into the Thames.

The New Orleans *Republican* of Friday, commenting on General Hancock's negro jury order, says: We think it is about time to impeach Andrew Johnson. We also think it about time for the political organizations, known as the Republican party and the Grand Army of the Republic, to be on the alert. Their ballots will soon be needed very badly.

A London correspondent states that it is impossible for the London *Times* to become a penny paper, for financial if for no other reason. We believe that every sheet of the paper on which it is printed costs one penny and a third, and in every number there are two sheets, one being entirely filled with advertisements. The paper of the *Times* office is all made of linen rags.

Among the possible successors to Pope Pius IX. is the Cardinal Andrea, a man who espoused the cause of the Italian Government in its late Roman complications, and was therefore deprived of his office and emoluments by Pius IX. He is now living at Naples on a pension from the Italian Government, and is the recognized candidate of that power for the Pontificate.

The Railroad Omnibus bill passed its last reading Saturday. It provides for the following appropriations: Knoxville and Kentucky, $800,000; Nashville and Alabama, $300,000; Cincinnati, Cumberland Gap and Charleston, $200,000; Nashville and Decatur, $300,000; Southwestern, $300,000; Memphis and Charleston, $300,000; Mississippi Central, $200,000; Mississippi and Tennessee, $100,000; Knoxville and Charleston, $150,000; Tennessee and Pacific $800,000; East Tennessee and North Carolina, $100,000; Nashville and Northwestern, $550,000; Edgefield and Kentucky, $300,000; East Tennessee and Virginia, $50,000.

An important resolution was offered in the House of Representatives, Friday, by Mr. Hooper, of Massachusetts, declaring that the amount of internal taxation should not exceed $300,000,000; instructing the Ways and Means Committee to report such a revision of the laws as will yield no more than that amount; and directing the Appropriation Committee to limit estimates in bills reported, including interest on the public debt, strictly within the same figure. That would leave the entire amount of the customs revenue to be applied to the extinction of the public debt.

"Mack," Washington correspondent of the Cincinnati *Commercial*, commenting upon the coming National Republican Convention, says: "An effort is now in progress to secure the admission of Southern delegates. It is believed that all the Southern States which are likely to be reconstructed during the present session of Congress, will be represented in the Convention, and with very few exceptions, the delegates from them will vote for Mr. Chase as the nominee. As the case stands, it may be estimated in this way: Chicago and May will nominate Grant; St. Louis and July will nominate Chase.

Colonel R. B. J. Twyman, Consul to Mexico under Buchanan, and formerly editor of several newspapers in Kentucky, committed suicide at the St. Charles Hotel, Cairo, Friday morning, by taking a solution of arsenic. He had been, for some weeks, quite depressed, from pecuniary embarrassments, and, on several occasions, had hinted his desire to die. "What is the use for a man to live," said he, "when all undertakings crumble at his touch, and he is burdensome to his friends?" Thursday night, he removed from the Continental to the St. Charles Hotel, retired early, and was not missed until next afternoon, when he was found to have been dead some hours. A touching and eloquent letter to George D. Prentice, of the Louisville *Journal*, dated several days ago, was on a table. In it he declares his intention and its causes. His wife and five grown sons and daughters, reside at Paducah and in the neighborhood, and move in the highest circles. Ten years ago he was worth fifty thousand dollars, but since that period, every business he has attempted "crumbled at his touch," and he died poor.

## TENNESSEE LEGISLATURE.

FRIDAY, December 6, 1867.

SENATE.

Mr. Elliott: A bill to regulate the fees between telegraph companies.

Mr. Cate: A bill proposing an amendment to the partnership laws of the State in reference to limited partnership. Referred.

A bill amending the code so as to allow the State, in cases of misdemeanor, to have only five peremptory challenges. Referred.

A bill was introduced by Mr. Lyle, proposing that an election be held throughout the State on the first Saturday in March, 1868, for delegates to a State Convention to alter or amend the constitution, looking to a change of the franchise laws of the State, which was referred to the committee on the constitution. While the motion to refer was under consideration, Mr. Lyle, after discussing the causes which led Tennessee into rebellion, spoke in substance as follows:

I go back on these dates, Mr. Speaker, in order to show at what time the good and honest people of this State got their consent to go into this rebellion, if they ever did, outside of the combined influence of the leaders in this rebellion, which I do not believe they did, but if they did they did it honestly, and they are honest to-day, and as I think I have shown a chain of honesty and loyalty combined, in favor of the 64,000 who were set down as a majority vote against secession on the 9th day of February, 1861. Therefore this bill of mine, which I offer in good faith, and which I am in hopes this house will pass in good faith, and which I honestly believe, if passed, will be received by the whole people of this State in like good faith, looking, as it does, to the doing away of all disabilities on account of race, color or former condition, and equal rights for all by proposed amendments or alterations to the Constitution of the State, except those who had taken an oath to support the Constitution of the United States and afterward went into rebellion; and further, the bill, you must all admit, proposes to travel the shortest road that can be traveled, looking to peace, happiness and prosperity for the whole people of the State of Tennessee. Mr. Speaker, I go in for burying the act of the rebels and slavery in one common grave, there to remain, for all time to come, undisturbed.

The amendment of Senator Frierson then came up and was discussed by the introducer. He thought that the amendment, if adopted, would obviate the necessity of coming in conflict with the decision of the Supreme Court. If we should repeal the sixteenth section of the franchise act, it may be so construed that the whole law was a nullity. The amendment proposed was large and liberal in its features, and its adoption would engender a better spirit among our people. The Republican party need have no fears, for if the Convention should be called, the action of the Convention would have to be referred to the next Legislature for its adoption. They would then have to refer it back to the people for adoption, and if the Legislature should not deem it prudent to refer it back to the people immediately, they might defer it for a considerable time, and thus make several years elapse before the amendment would become a part of the Constitution.

Senator Frierson then withdrew for the present his amendment.

Senator Mathews offered the bill which had passed the House, as a bill in lieu of all other bills on the subject.

The repeal of the sixteenth section of the franchise act then came up.

Mr. Speaker Senter addressed the Senate in opposition to the repeal, mainly on the ground that whether it is or is not a part of the constitution, it is regarded by the people as a part of that instrument, and we should be careful not to lay ourselves liable to the charge of tampering with the constitution.

Senator Eckel moved the postponement of the whole franchise question to the fifteenth of January, 1868. Carried by 14 to 9, and was referred to the Committee on the Constitution.

Adjourned to 10 a.m. to-morrow.

HOUSE.

Mr. Walker: A resolution providing for the adjournment of the General Assembly on the 23d of December, to meet again on the first Monday in January, 1868. Laid on the table.

Mr. Woodcock: A bill to amend the Code, regulating the appointment of notaries public and defining their powers and duties.

Mr. Mynatt: A bill to amend section 3909 of the Code.

Mr. Hunt: A resolution providing that members of the General Assembly shall be paid on a gold basis. Passed.

Mr. Hamilton: A bill to incorporate the city school of Memphis.

The Omnibus bill came up as unfinished business.

Mr. Medlin offered an amendment providing that all roads receiving aid shall receive directors on the part of the State. Adopted.

Mr. Taylor moved the previous question, and the call was sustained.

The bill was then passed on its third reading by the following vote:

Ayes—Messrs. Agee, Allen, Anderson, Baker, Bean, Brown, Bloom, Bosson, Childs, Carey, Cagle, Cordell, Doughty, Dyer, Faulkner, Galbraith, Grayson, Hale, Hammer, Hacker, Inman of Cocke, Inman of Knox, Jordan, Johnson, Kerchival, Lillard, Medlin, Meyers, McFall, McKinley, Martin, McNair, Mynatt, Prosser, Prestwood, Ryder, Roach, Shepherd, Sparkman, Stone, Taylor of Carter, Taylor of Perry, Thornburgh of Grainger, Thornburgh of Jefferson, Turner, White of Bradley, White of Green, Welsh, Wines and Mr. Speaker Richards.—50.

Noes—Messrs. Bowles, Blackman, Brewer, Cason, Dowdy, Griffin, Gilmer, Hodges, Hewett, Hamilton of Shelby, Hunt, Morris, Mason, Moore, Poston, Puckett, Porter, Pitts, Reeves, Reed, Robinson, Smith, Thompson, Woodcock, Woodard, Walker and Waters—27.

LOYAL INDEMNITY.

House bill No. 226: To secure compensation from the United States to loyal citizens of Tennessee for losses sustained during the rebellion, was taken up. The Special Committee to whom was referred the several bills upon this subject, recommended the adoption of this bill in lieu of all others. It provides for the appointment of a Board of Commissioners in each county of the State, to examine and audit all claims for losses sustained from Federal or rebel troops; and of a General Claim Commissioner, to be stationed at Nashville, who shall revise these claims and put them into proper shape before forwarding them to Washington. It defines what class of claims shall be admitted and how they shall be classified, and provides that two and one-half per cent. shall be deducted from all amounts collected from the United States, the same to go to the Treasury of the United States, to defray the expenses of collection.

A report from the minority of the committee recommended the rejection of the section providing for the tax of two and one-half per cent.

It was moved to concur in the minority report, and upon this question there was considerable discussion. Without reaching a vote the House adjourned until nine a.m. yesterday.

## BY TELEGRAPH.

TUESDAY'S NOON DISPATCHES.

Facts and Rumors from Washington.

Spain Anxious About the Island of Cuba

Boutwell Thinks the President will yet be Impeached.

General McClernand Declines the Mexican Mission.

River Rising at Pittsburg—Coal Moving

NEW YORK, December 9.—A *Tribune's* special says the Senate Finance Committee will consider the currency bill during the coming week, and report on it as soon as possible. It is understood that the members of the Committee are anxious to bring it forward at an early day, not only on account of the large vote it received in the House, but also on account of the pressure brought to bear on them. The treaty for the purchase of St. Thomas and St. John's islands, will probably not be taken up for consideration in the Senate until next week; meantime, recommendations for the purchase from representative councilmen are coming in, and Senators indicate a purpose to defer action in the Senate until further indications of approval come from influential quarters.

Information received here yesterday from the Government of Spain discloses anxiety about the purposes of the United States Government, a report having reached the Spanish authorities to the effect that it is the intention of the administration to get possession of Porto Rico, and four or five other islands, and even Cuba.

It is understood that Mr. Seward's explanation was such as to quiet the alarm of the Spanish Government.

The Appropriation Committee has not yet taken any action upon the Russian claim for the Territory of Alaska; but though there is a very great desire to retrench as much as possible, it is probable the appropriation will be voted at an early day.

A considerable number of whisky distillers and dealers are here, and a convention will be held on Tuesday to take into consideration what measure shall be recommended to Congress in regard to the tax and the method of collecting it.

A special says Mr. Boutwell, though not very much astonished at the fate which has befallen the late bill of impeachment, feels sanguine that before many months elapse Johnson will be impeached in real earnest, and removed. He says it is impossible that the President, inflated with the notion that the people have at last indorsed his policy and forced their representatives to overthrow his enemies—the impeachers—can avoid committing some outrage that will call down upon him the stern retribution of Congress. It is the belief of a prominent Radical Senator that the case of ex-Secretary Stanton will be left untouched by the Senate; that at least nothing will be done looking toward his restoration to his former position which he was requested to vacate.

A special says General McClernand has again been tendered the Mexican mission by the President, but it is understood he will decline the appointment.

PITTSBURG, December 9.—The river is rising, with five feet in the channel. Coal barges are departing.

NEW YORK, December 9, twelve m.—Gold opened at 137⅞, at twenty minutes past ten a.m. was 136⅞, and is now 136⅞. Cotton—demand moderate and prices weak. Exchange steady.

LIVERPOOL, December 8—Noon.—Cotton active; sales of 12,000 bales; uplands, 7¾d; Orleans, 8d.

"GOING FOR HIM."

Senator Powell En Route for Butler via Nashville.

The following letter, written to a prominent citizen of Greeneville, Tennessee, is published in the Greeneville *Union* of the 4th:

WASHINGTON, D.C., November 29, 1867.

MY FRIEND: I will be in Greeneville on Wednesday morning, on my way to Knoxville and Nashville, for the purpose of taking sundry depositions in the "Butler case," and to take the records of the rebel Legislature to Washington.

I have leave of absence for twenty days. I have my seat and desk in the House of Representatives by *privilege*. So, although the First Congressional District of Tennessee has no member on the floor of Congress, yet the dignity of the district is fully represented, as is acknowledged by all. I hold Mr. Butler for "rent or lease" (to let) as a landlord holds real estate. But his premises are in such a dilapidated condition that they threaten *to tumble down*, and I fear that I shall not be able to find a tenant.

The committee will not reach the case in six weeks, so the chairman informs me. And all the proof must be printed before the committee will act on it at all, and there is much proof yet to take.

The franking privilege of his Honor is withdrawn. He is no member of Congress yet, although Jimmy Lyon said he was. But Jimmy is a clever fellow, and will take that back.

My stay in Greeneville will be only a few hours.

Yours truly, J. POWELL.

BLACK AND TANS IN COUNCIL.

The Alabama Miscegenation Convention.

THE FINAL VOTE ON THE BOGUS CONSTITUTION.

On the final vote on the adoption of the Constitution as a whole; the following was the result: Yeas, 67; nays, 9.

Those who voted in the negative were, Messrs. Alexander, of Autauga; Cabott, Ewing, Graves, Latham, Meanors, Semple, Speed and Wilhite—9.

Those who voted in the affirmative were, Mr. President, Messrs. Adams, Alexander, of Greene; Applegate, Austin, Autry, Bingham, of Talladega; Blackford, Blandon, Brainard, Brutson, Buck, Buckley, of Lowndes; Buckley, of Montgomery; Burdick, Burton, Carraway, Collins, Coon, Davis, Diggs, Dykes, Ely, Finley, Gardner, Garrison, Green, Gregory, Griffin, Hatcher, Haughey, Hayes, Inge, Johnson, of Russell; Jones, of Conecuh; Jones of Madison; Keffer, Kennamer, Lee, Lore, McGown, Mahan, McLeod, Martin, Masterson, Miller, Moore, Morgan, Morton, Norris, Peters, Rapier, Royal, Russell, of Barbour; Saffold, Silsby, Skinner, Smith, Springfield, Steed, Stow, Strange, Walker, of Jefferson; Walker, of Shelby; Whitney and Yordy—67.

THE PROTESTING MEMBERS.

Mr. Semple, of Montgomery, presented the following protest:

The undersigned beg leave to have their protest against the Constitution entered upon the journal of the Convention. They protest against it because in their opinion a government framed in accordance with its provisions will entail upon the people of the State greater evils than any which now threaten them.

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| Early Greathouse, | James Fulman, |
| J. C. Jolly, | J. C. Meadors, |
| R. Deal, | Timothy J. Russell, |
| T. Towles, | Joseph H. Speed, |
| Henry C. Semple, | C. M. Cabott, |
| G. W. Graves, | John L. Alexander, |
| James W. Stewart, | W. T. Ewing. |

S. L. Latham.

Mr. President (Mr. Miller in the Chair) moved that the names of those signing the protest, who were absent, be erased from the list. Adopted.

An Ordinance concerning the election for ratification of the Constitution and for State and county officers and members of Congress, was adopted.

Section 1. Be it ordained, etc., That the Constitution be submitted for ratification to the voters of this State, registered and qualified as provided by the acts of Congress, known as the Reconstruction laws, on the 4th day of February, 1868. The vote on said Constitution shall be "For the Constitution," and "Against the Constitution." The said election shall be held at the same places, under the regulations to be prescribed by the Commanding General of this Military District, and the returns made to him as directed by law.

Sec. 2. Be it further ordained, That an election be held at the same time and place as the ratification of the Constitution, for Senators and Representatives in the General Assembly, and for all State and county officers who are elected by the people under this Constitution.

Sec. 3. The number of Supreme Court Judges shall be one Chief Justice and two Associate Judges. The Chancery and Judicial Districts shall remain as now existing.

Sec. 4. The said election for State and county officers shall be conducted under the same regulations as the election for the ratification of the Constitution, and by the same persons. The returns of election shall be made to the President of this Convention, who shall give certificates of election to the persons chosen for the respective offices. The officers so elected shall commence the discharge of the duties of the offices for which they are chosen as soon as this State is admitted into the Union, and shall hold their respective offices for the term of years prescribed by the Constitution, beginning from the day of the next general election after such admission of the State into the Union, and until their successors are elected and qualified.

Sec. 5. An election for members of the United States Congress shall be held in each congressional district, as now established, at the same time and places as the election for the ratification of the Constitution. Said elections shall be conducted by the same persons and under the same regulations as before mentioned in this ordinance. The returns shall be made to the President of this Convention, who shall give the persons chosen certificates of election.

Sec. 6. The members of the General Assembly elected under this ordinance shall assemble at the capitol in the city of Montgomery, on the 18th day of March, 1868.

Sec. 7. The commanding general of this military district is requested to inforce this ordinance.


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LEWIS CASS SMITH, aged sixteen or seventeen years, lived with Albert W. C. Lee, Arkansas. He is the son of Joshua B. Smith, deceased, and brother of John Alder Smith of Lauderdale county, Tennessee. Any information concerning him, given to Partee & Harbert, Memphis, Tenn., will be gratefully received by his friends.

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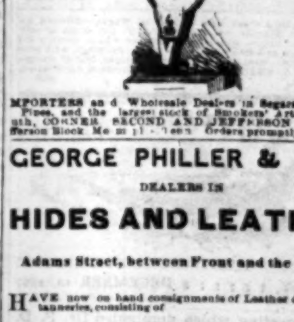
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## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR MAYOR.—W. O. LOFLAND is a candidate for re-election to the office of Mayor at the approaching Municipal election. de8

FOR CITY TAX COLLECTOR.—JOHN NEWSOM is a candidate for City Tax Collector at the ensuing municipal election. de8

FOR CITY TAX COLLECTOR ON PRIVILEGES—We are authorized to announce J. D. DAVIS as a candidate for re-election to the office of City Tax Collector on Privileges at the ensuing election. de8

FOR ALDERMAN OF THE THIRD WARD.—We are authorized to announce L. D. GLEASON as a candidate for Alderman of the Third Ward at the ensuing January election.

FOR CITY TAX COLLECTOR.—We are authorized to announce J. R. PORTER as a candidate for City Tax Collector at the ensuing election in January. de7

FOR WHARFMASTER.—We are authorized to announce STEVE WILKINS an independent candidate for Wharfmaster at the ensuing election. de7

FOR WHARFMASTER.—We are authorized to announce ROBERT GOOD as a candidate for the office of Wharfmaster at the ensuing election. no6

FOR STREET COMMISSIONER.—THOMAS MALONE is a candidate for re-election to the office of Street Commissioner, at the ensuing January election. no28

FOR SHERIFF—We are authorized to announce AMOS R. CURTIS as a candidate for Sheriff of Shelby county at the ensuing election in March, 1868. no27

FOR CITY TAX COLLECTOR ON PRIVILEGES.—We are authorized to announce WILLIAM UNDERWOOD as a candidate for the office of City Tax Collector on Privileges at the ensuing election. no26

FOR STREET COMMISSIONER—EDWARD KIERNAN a candidate for the office of Street Commissioner at the next Municipal election. no21

FOR STREET COMMISSIONER—We are authorized to announce the name of JAMES FORD, ex-Street Commissioner, for election to the office of Street Commissioner of the city of Memphis, at the ensuing election in January next, 1868. no21

FOR MAYOR—WM. H. FITCH, Jr., is a candidate for the office of Mayor at the ensuing Municipal election. no19

FOR TAX COLLECTOR—We are authorized to announce J. H. BOWEN as a candidate for re-election to the office of City Tax Collector, at the ensuing election in January next. oc23

## WANTS.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—A practical DISTILLER who understands the business thoroughly; also, a No. 1 COOPER. None but first rate need apply. Address W. R. TUCKER, Columbus, Miss. de7

WANTED—A Lady of Richmond, Virginia, desires a situation in a private family as Governess. Will teach the usual English branches and Music. Prefers to instruct children under twelve years of age. For further information address Mrs. S. P., Richmond, Virginia. de6

WANTED—A situation by a competent Book-keeper. Address "CLERK," Lock Box 529. de6

WANTED EVERYWHERE, AGENTS—Male and Female—$50 to $200 per month, to introduce the genuine IMPROVED COMMON SENSE FAMILY SEWING MACHINE. Price only $18. This machine will stitch, hem, fell, tuck, bind, braid, quilt and embroider in a most superior manner; also, do all kinds of tailor work. The cloth cannot be pulled apart, even after cutting across the seam every quarter of an inch. Every Machine fully warranted for three years. We will pay the above salary and expenses, or a commission from which twice that amount can be made. Address SECOMB & McEATHRON, Louisville, Kentucky.

CAUTION.—Do not be imposed upon by parties palming off worthless cast-iron machines, under the same name or otherwise. Ours is the only genuine and really practical cheap machine manufactured, and we are the only general agents. All agents with the GENUINE are furnished with a certificate of agency, signed by us. Ours is the only genuine and really practical cheap machine manufactured, and we are the only general agents. no5

AGENTS WANTED—Ten to twenty dollars a day, to introduce our new patent STAR SHUTTLE SEWING MACHINE. Price $20. Uses two threads, and makes the genuine Lock Stitch. All other low priced machines make the Chain Stitch. Exclusive territory given. Send for circulars. M. M. BEACH & CO., 294 Second street, Memphis, Tenn.

WANTED—Agents to sell the CRESCENT SEWING MACHINE. Price $15. Sewing Machine dealers will find it greatly to their interest to send for our terms. Address HASTY & INGRAM, 255 Second street, Memphis.

## BOARDING.

BOARDING—Two suits of pleasant rooms on second floor, in a convenient locality, to let. References required and given. Inquire at 225 Adams street. de10

BOARDING—Families or single gentlemen can be accommodated with board and lodging, in a desirable location, with furnished or unfurnished rooms; also, day boarders can be accommodated, at No. 394 Second street, between Gayoso and Beale.

BOARDING—Two well furnished Front Rooms for a gentleman and wife, can be had at 110 Court street, by early application. Must give reference. no23

## LOST.

$200 REWARD! $200 REWARD!!—Lost or stolen, on or about the 15th November last, one plain double-cased, Parisian made, pendent, winding, gold lever WATCH, together with a heavy gold Chain—the maker's name, steiner, 15 rue de la Paix, Paris, engraved on the inside. I will give the above reward for the recovery of said watch and chain and ask no questions. M. COMBS, Jr., Room No. 2, Post-office Building. de6

## FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—A LARGE LOT, corner of Fourth and Adams streets, suitable for a wood, wagon, lumber or cotton yard, or for a circus. Is well fenced and has an office. Apply to CHARLES JONES.

FOR RENT—Dwelling House on the corner of Bass avenue and Manassas street. Apply to J. E. BEASLEY, 251 Main street. de8

FOR RENT—The elegant PLANTATION of John Wildberger, deceased, four miles south of Memphis, on the river, entirely above overflow, containing two hundred acres cleared; good dwelling, cabins, etc. Will be leased to a good tenant for the ensuing year at very reasonable rates. For particulars apply to J. H. WAGGENER, 234 Main street, or to myself, on the premises. C. J. WILDBERGER.

FOR RENT—Storehouse, No. 201 Front street, under Commercial Hotel, with second and third floor above. Possession given January 1st. Apply to MOORE, WHITFIELD & CO., No. 1 Howard's Row. de4

FOR RENT—One New Brick Storehouse, No. 9 Howard's Row, 24 feet front by 100 deep. Apply to W. L. DUFF, 19 West Court street. no23

FOR RENT—STORES AND OFFICES on the corner of Monroe and Second streets; Cottage Residence on Causey street; several Tenements on Union and Second streets. Also, a LARGE WAREHOUSE, No. 393 Second street. Apply to W. MESSICK, 317 Second street. no16

OFFICES TO RENT—In our new building, 37 Adams street, with superior comforts and accommodations. WORMELEY, JOY & CO. no17

## FOR SALE OR LEASE.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Two hundred and forty acres of Land, nearly all under fence—the plantation known as the "Scott Bayne Place," lying on both sides of the Memphis and Ohio railroad, embracing Bond's station, fifteen miles from Memphis. Orchards, garden etc. Apply to B. HART, near Bartlett's Station.

### HOMES! HOMES! HOMES!

I WILL SELL OR LEASE ON TEN YEARS TIME, FIFTY LOTS of ground, near the Brick Church in Chelsea, of any size, suitable for residences, gardens, etc.; also, TWO OF THE BEST GARDENS in the county with good houses. PRICES VERY MODERATE. Call soon and take your choice. B. R. THOMAS. no26

FOR SALE—Two fine Brunswick BILLIARD TABLES, complete and in good order. Have been used but not injured. Will sell cheap. Apply to S. W. WICKERSHAM, Southeast Corner of Jefferson and Third streets, Memphis, Tenn. no24

## SPECIAL NOTICES, ETC.

NOTICE.—All persons herein interested, are notified that the undersigned will apply for letters of administration upon the estate of Mrs M. G. Polk, deceased, at the next term of the Shelby County Court. JAMES K. POLK. F. H. Tupper, Attorney. de10

NOTICE is hereby given, that at the January term, 1868, of the County Court of Shelby county, Tennessee, I will make application to be appointed guardian of Miss Myrtice M. DuBose. [de8] JOHN SOMERVELL.

NOTICE—All persons herein interested are notified that the undersigned will apply for letters of administration upon the estate of James Malatesta, deceased, at the next term of the County Court of Shelby county. FRANK VACCARO, NICHOLAS MALATESTA. no28

NOTICE—The ST. CHARLES HOTEL, New Orleans, La., during the summer, has been thoroughly renovated; additions made to the furniture, and on the first of November, the Restaurant will be abandoned and the Table d'Hote readopted. I will take this opportunity to thank the patrons of the Hotel for past favors and assure them and the public that it will be kept in a manner to meet their approval. O. E. HALL. oc27

THE Healing Pool and House of Mercy—Howard Association Reports for young men, on the crime of solitude and the errors, abuses and diseases which destroy the manly powers, and create impediments to marriage, with sure means of relief. Sent in sealed letter envelopes, free of charge. Address Dr. J. SKILLIN HOUGHTON, Howard Association, Philadelphia. no28

EDITORIAL

TUESDAY, : : : : : : DECEMBER 10, 1867

THE meeting which nominated Dr. P. D. BEECHER for Mayor, on Thursday evening last, was, perhaps, the richest farce ever enacted in this city. The crowd present showed that the aspirants for glory, honor and position, had been very industrious in rallying their respective friends, and the enthusiasm manifested on every conceivable pretext showed also that a great feud existed between the antagonistic factions. From the time the door opened until the close of the meeting, the Radical cauldron effervesced, simmered and stewed. Indeed, the meeting seemed to be a great political Sanhedrim, made up of a dozen hostile parties, while each party was divided into as many antagonistic factions. It stands without a parallel in modern times. If it bears the least resemblance in any of its features to anything good, bad, ancient or modern, sacred or profane, it may remind some of our readers of DOUGLAS JERROLD's free translation of OVID's famous account of Chaos. Hear him: "Imagine saucepans, sea weed, obelisks and allspice, tomatoes, tomahawks, cataracts and horse hair, gunpowder, lobster sauce, stalactites and boot jacks, fire drakes, whirligigs, squibs, water spouts and gongs, cyanogen, soojie, mountains, magpies, earthquakes, oyster patties, spermaceti and thimbles, soap, cerate, adamant, granite rocks, glaciers, rattlesnakes, tongs, pigtails, whistle-pipes and thunder—with hot, cold, moist, dry, sweet, sour, sharp, flat, and all sorts of contending opposites, including several tom-cats, jostling, clanging, whizzing, clashing, hissing, flaring, spurting, bellowing, and caterwauling, and you may have some faint idea of what Chaos may have been." Talk no longer about country breakdowns, lunatic asylums, camp meetings, Chartist mobs, schoolhouses in an uproar, for all these are Quaker meetings, in comparison to a Radical pow-wow in full blast. These meetings, such as was held in this city on Thursday night, can only be equaled by Congress or the House of Commons. The general impression is that the Parliament of England is a staid, dignified, body; but there are occasions when members of the House of Commons outrage all decency; when sounds of bagpipes and hand-organs, yelpings of kenneled hounds, crowing of cocks, bleating of sheep and braying of donkeys are so perfectly imitated, mingled with sneezing, coughing, whistling and groaning, that ROEBUCK, himself, the most imperturbable of speakers, would be obliged to yield; but these seldom occur. A London correspondent thus describes a recent scene. A member arose with great gravity, and said: "I arise, sir [ironical cheers, mingled with all sorts of zoological sounds], I rise, sir, for the purpose of stating that I have [Oh! oh! bah! and sounds resembling the bleating of sheep, mingled with loud laughter.] Honorable gentlemen may endeavor to put me down by their unmannerly interruptions; but I have a duty to my con— [Ironical cheers, loud coughing, sneezing and yawning, extending over two or three minutes, followed by bursts of laughter.] I say, sir, that I have constituents who expect that I— [Sit down!] They expect, sir, that on a question of such— [Oh! oh! do they? Exactly so, Mr. Snooks! followed by cries of "Order!" "Order!" from the Speaker.] I tell honorable gentlemen, who choose to conduct themselves in such a disgraceful way, that I cannot be put down by—[Groans, coughs, sneezing, barkings, and various animal sounds, some of which closely imitated the yelping of a dog and the squeaking of a pig, interspersed with peals of laughter.] I appeal—" [Cock-e-luri-o-oo.] The imitation of the crowing of a cock was so perfect in this case than the most staid and orderly members no longer preserved their gravity, and the speaker sat down amidst cheers which but for what had preceded, would have seemed congratulatory applause." The Radicals of this city seem to have taken lessons from such a body, as their public meetings are characterized by the same sort of shameless decorum. And in the midst of this strife and indecency Judge HUNTER, of the Criminal Court of this city, stood like one of the giant sons of ANAK. He had everything cut and dried to suit his own taste. He was evidently the big dog with a brass collar, the chief cook and bottle-washer—the factotum and the master of ceremonies generally. Oh, it was a humiliating sight to see the judicial ermine which he wears across his unworthy shoulders bedraggled in the mire of party filth. But there stood HUNTER, like "sounding brass and tinkling symbols," seeming to congratulate himself upon his sudden and unexpected rise from nothingness into the dreamy splendor that surrounded him. The action of the Convention was as strange and unexpected as its deliberations were irregular and boisterous. JAMES D. DAVIS, the old Union dray-horse, was treated as unceremoniously as if he had been a Sepoy in the house of his enemy. Mr. DAVIS is an original Union man. He has stood by his principles with a sublime faith. He was one of the notorious five who voted against secession in 1860. His consistency, his pluck, has always commanded the respect of his opponents. It remains to be seen whether Mr. DAVIS will lick the hands that have struck him down or turn over all his strength against the heartless ingrates who have slaughtered him. Other old Union men, consistent and reliable." Radicals were also butchered in the house of their friends, and nominations given to new converts. SHAW was also overslaughed by fraud and trickery. The demonstration in the convention was unquestionably in his favor, but the unscrupulous HUNTER used his position for another, and SHAW fell a dead cock in the pit. As to Dr. BEECHER, the nominee for Mayor, we know nothing personally or politically. But if Radical authority is to be believed, he is a base, bad man. Since his nomination we have been furnished with several copies of the following handbill, which was written, printed and circulated by the Radicals before the convention, in order to defeat BEECHER's nomination. If the charges the Radicals have made be true, the tax paying people of Memphis, every man who has at heart the honor and integrity of the city, will shudder at the prospect of the destiny of the city passing into such hands. Here is what the Radicals say of BEECHER, who has been nominated for Mayor of Memphis:

*Reasons why the Republicans of Memphis should not Support Dr. P. D. Beecher for the Mayoralty.*

1. *He is not an Honest Man!* FACTS: He was twice indicted in Onarga, Illinois, for larceny—once for stealing a vest; once for stealing sawlogs, or raft timber. He has been several times indicted in the Criminal Court of Memphis for larcenies; and an indictment is now pending against him in that court for embezzling property of Shelby county (provisions, etc.) from the county hospital, of which he was surgeon. He was postmaster at Onarga, Illinois, in 1861, and was a defaulter to the Government for a large sum of money received in his official capacity; and the Government recovered a judgment against him in the United States Circuit Court for Northern Illinois, for the sum of six hundred and fifteen dollars and one cent, which he had received as postmaster for postage stamps and prepaid envelops, and failed to account for or pay over to the United States—which judgment remains unsatisfied. While surgeon of the county hospital of Shelby county, he sought and received a bribe of two hundred dollars, to procure the purchase by the county of an old barrack, situated in an unhealthy place, at an exhorbitant price, to be used as a county hospital; and in consequence of such unfavorable location, many of the inmates (principally poor colored people) *died*. While a tax collector at Onarga, Illinois, before the war, he collected a large sum of money from the people for taxes. The county never received it. He attempted to account for it by asserting that he had been robbed of the money. The good people of Onarga did not believe the yarn, but thought it was a "*put up job*," and his sureties had to pay the money.

2. *He is not a reliable Republican.* FACTS: At the outbreak of the war he belonged to the "Copperhead wing" of the Democratic party. Was one of that most contemptible class of politicians—a *Buchanan postmaster*. When *treason* raised its bloody hands to destroy the Government, and the honest and patriotic element of the Democracy—Butler, Sheridan, John A. Logan, John A. Dix, and men of that class—left its ranks and joined the Union hosts, P. D. Beecher followed not their noble examples; but remained in the Copperhead party, and acted and sympathized with it until it was crushed out by the result of the war. He voted against Abraham Lincoln in 1860, and again in 1864. He supported Geo. B. McClellan and Geo. H. Pendleton for President and Vice President. He approved the Copperhead platform of 1864, which, among other infamous propositions, declared the *war for the Union a failure*; and which, if adopted by the country, would have recognized the Southern Confederacy, and consigned the colored people to slavery forever. Two years ago he was reviling the commanders of our colored troops as "*D—d nigger officers*," etc., and in other opprobrious epithets. Within fifteen months he was a "*Chicago Times Copperhead!*" and only changed his politics when he saw the downfall of his infamous party, and the impending supremacy of Radicalism. He never favored the rights of the colored man until he wanted their votes. He has never done anything to sustain the Government, except to act as a "contract surgeon," for good pay, and without personal peril. Nothing to advance the cause of Republicanism. Nothing to secure the rights of the colored people. Nothing for any great party purpose or right.

3. *He is not qualified or competent* to fill the office with credit, either to himself, the city, or those who would elect him. He is without education, ability, or experience. He has neither influence, worth, character, nor dignity. He knows nothing of political economy. He is unfamiliar with questions of finance. He is ignorant of the wants and interests of the city, and of her affairs generally, and has not the capacity to learn them!

4. His election would continue the reign of peculation, inefficiency, and corruption in the management of our city affairs; and would add to these, ignorance and imbecility. It would bring disaster upon the city, and disgrace upon the party that elected him!

5. It is of vital importance to the Republican party that in assuming for the first time the control of the affairs of this proud and growing young city, that it place in power an able, pure and reliable administration—one competent to lift up our fallen credit, carry on our public improvements, sustain our schools, and promote the general welfare of the people. For this great work, P. D. Beecher does not possess one essential qualification, and it is but the hight of presumption to ask the people to place him in a position for which he is so eminently unfit and unworthy!

We understand the proof is in this city substantiating many of these charges. For the sake of our race—for the sake of the city—we hope Dr. BEECHER will vindicate his name from the injurious charges which have been made against his integrity, by his own party friends. Certain it is, the conservative part of the community, the friends of Memphis, who look more to the prosperity of the city than they do to an empty party triumph, are thoroughly disgusted with the prospect of electing inefficient and incompetent men. Submission to the dictates of violent and unscrupulous cliques has ceased to be a virtue, even with the most thoroughgoing party men. The interests of Memphis are too vast, her position is too critical her stake in the result of the approaching election is too great to permit her citizens to stand quietly by, while her welfare and her destiny are committed to the keeping of men without character and devoid of integrity. The tax paying people of Memphis are not responsible for this state of things, but they can at least present a ticket which no reflecting man can hesitate to support in preference to the feeble and unworthy nominations made on Thursday night. In the present crisis men should be elected to office of character, intelligence and energy—men of weight and standing in the community—who will be able to impress themselves and their views on the community and command its respect and confidence. If we cannot have such a ticket it were better to have none. The solid men of Memphis, her merchants, artizans and tradesmen of every description, and, indeed, all good citizens who make her welfare and prosperity the primary object of consideration, cannot conscientiously surrender their substantial interests, or stifle the voice of patriotic expostulation, for the empty glory of the most trifling party victory.

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Governor Haight, of California, was inaugurated on Wednesday.

New York City consumes 1,320,000 barrels of flour annually.

Caroline Richings was married on Saturday to Mr. P. Brainard, at Philadelphia.

Colliery explosions are very frequent in England and Wales. Already there have been a dozen, with the loss of hundreds of lives.

A youth in San Francisco, desiring to make a present to a jeweler's daughter, stole a ring from her father for that purpose.

A duel recently took place in Madrid between an attache of the French Embassy there, and a brother of the Ambassador. The arms used were pistols and both principals were wounded.

A New Haven paper says more men are out of employment in that city now than before within the last ten years, and that the leading manufacturers are reducing their forces.

Boyd & Co., Solicitors of Patents, 208 Pine street, St. Louis, Missouri, officially report to the AVALANCHE the following patents granted Tennessee, Kentucky, Louisiana, Alabama and Georgia inventors, for the week ending December 3d, 1867: E. Y. Beggs, Nashville, Tennessee, portable hose budge. R. DeRode, Lexington, Kentucky, conductor's ticket book. C. C. and S. J. Hare, Louisville, Kentucky, improvement in hinging tea kettle lids. J. Colton, New Orleans, Louisiana, safety pockets. J. J. Hofer, New Orleans, Louisiana, fire engine nozzle. A. L. Wilkinson, Huntsville, Alabama, portable hose budge. J. Gorham, Bairdston, Georgia, baling press. J. Gorham, Bairdstown, Georgia, shaft attachment to carriages.

### TENNESSEE LEGISLATURE.

NASHVILLE, December 7, 1867.

There was but a short session in the Senate to-day.

A resolution was introduced adjourning the General Assembly from the 18th of December to the second Monday in January, 1868.

An amendment providing that no member should receive pay for more than seven days absence was lost.

The railroad omnibus bill, as amended by the House, was concurred in by a vote of 17 ayes to 5 noes.

A bill to amend the charter of the Tennessee and Pacific railroad, allowing Davidson county to subscribe $500,000 as stock in said road, was read and referred to the Committee on Internal Improvements.

A bill incorporating the Mineral Home railroad passed its third reading, and was transmitted to the House.

A bill requiring the Controller to audit the accounts of the members of the General Assembly and other parties, payable in specie, was passed.

# BY TELEGRAPH

## MIDNIGHT DISPATCHES.

**Proceedings of the Fortieth Congress.**

**More Orders Revoked by Gen. Hancock.**

**The Louisiana Constitutional Convention**

### WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, December 9.

In the House a number of bills and resolutions were offered, including the following by Van-Wyck:

A bill authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to revoke the order appointing receivers to take charge of any bank, and to restore such bank to its owners.

By Mr. Cook: That persons of foreign birth, naturalized, are entitled to all the protection afforded natives, and entirely absolved from foreign allegiance.

By Mr. Lynch: To provide for the resumption of specie payments.

The bill provides that from the first of March, 1868, United States notes, when received at the Treasury, shall be destroyed, and new notes issued, payable one year from date, in coin; and that such notes, before redemption, shall be legal tenders for all purposes save import duties, and coin interest on Government bonds. After specie payment has commenced, the Secretary may issue notes payable in coin, in from one to three months, and may purchase coin to insure their redemption to the amount of $50,000,000. This bill authorizes the Secretary of the Treasury to issue $30,000,000 coupon bonds, payable in lawful money on demand, and bearing five per cent. compound interest, the bonds to be issued to anybody paying for the value thereof in lawful money.

By Mr. Wilson, of Ohio, to authorize the State authorities to tax non-interest bearing United States notes.

The resolution on the distribution of the President's Message came up, and after some discussion it was agreed to refer that portion relating to the purchase of Alaska to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

In the Senate, Mr. Chase submitted a communication from the Attorney General transmitting the names of the various Assistant District Attorneys, their salaries, etc.

Laid on the table.

Also, from the Secretary of the Treasury, that three per cent of amount above $600 has been deducted from salaries of Judges according to law.

### NEW ORLEANS.

NEW ORLEANS, November 9.

General Hancock revoked so much of Mower's special order No. 192, as removes from office Adam Griffin, State Treasurer, Hypolite Peralta, State Auditor, and appoints E. J. Jenkins, and J. H. Lypher to their places. He reinstates the former.

General Hancock, while visiting the opera Saturday night, was recognized, and greeted with enthusiastic cheers. The band struck up "Hail Columbia."

No business of importance was transacted in the Convention to-day.

### LOUISVILLE.

LOUISVILLE, December 9.

The river is swelling, with two feet nine inches in the canal. Weather clear. Thermometer thirty-six.

### MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's father, near Morning Sun, Tennessee, on December 4, 1867, Mr. ALBERT CRENSHAW to Miss ANNIE E. ECKLIN.

We tender our heartfelt congratulations on the consummation of this happy event. Hymen has united two loving hearts—one a generous, frank, noble, fellow, the other an amiable, accomplished lady. We echo only the wishes of their many friends when we express the hope that fate may have in store for them a future bright and glorious. May they pluck the roses of life and not feel the thorns; may no cloud dim the bright noonday sun of prosperity which we hope will ever shed its brightest beams across their path. May they in happiness long to live, and when earth fades from their view like a panoramic scene that flits silently before them, may they look joyously to a reunion in the better land where all is love. L.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

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### Sale of the MADISON STREET HOUSES AND THE MAIN STREET BANKING HOUSE, To-Day at 12 o'clock.

THE sale of this property will begin at the Storeroom of Messrs. Boyd & Jones, on Madison street, at the corner of the alley, between Main and Second, and conclude with the Bank Building on Main street. ROYSTER, TREZEVANT & CO., Auctioneers. de10

### *Administrator's Notice.*

HAVING qualified as administrator of J. B. McNichol, deceased, at the December term, 1867, of the County Court of Shelby county, I hereby notify all persons indebted to said estate, to make prompt payment, and all persons who hold claims against said estate, to present them [illegible] ANDREW PEELER, Administrator. de10

No. 1641—In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee—E. M. Apperson & Co. vs. Thomas Bennett, George Hume et al.

IT appearing from affidavit in this cause that the defendants, Thomas Bennett and J. Hume, are non-residents of the State of Tennessee, it is therefore ordered that they make their appearance herein, at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on the first Monday in January, 1868, and plead, answer or demur to complainants' bill or the same will be taken for confessed and set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week, for four consecutive weeks, in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTUS ALSTON, Clerk and Master. By E. J. Black, Deputy C. & M. Beecher & Beecher, Sols. for Complainants. de10

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AMUSEMENTS.

### NEW MEMPHIS THEATER.

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Stage Manager ... Shirley H. France
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ON the 6th day of January, 1868, or as soon thereafter as the sale of part of the same property by T. W. Brown, trustee, is concluded, I will, at the Commercial Hotel, in Memphis, Tennessee, offer for sale at public auction, for cash, all the

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And Two Fine Billiard Tables,

In the said Hotel, and all the property mentioned in a mortgage of D. Bryson et al., to me, recorded in the Register's office of Shelby county; said sale to be for the purposes therein mentioned. de8 JOSEPH C. ANDREWS.

### Creditors

HAVING claims against the estate of James Malatesta, deceased, are hereby notified to file their claims, as required by law, with the undersigned, within the time prescribed by law, or the same will be barred. Persons indebted to the estate will come forward and pay immediately. NICHOLAS MALATESTA, FRANK VACCARO, Administrators, 234 Main street. Ed. Burke Pickett, Attorney. Ledger copy till forbid. de10

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CLASS Y, DECEMBER 31, 1867.

NO more acceptable and appropriate present can be made to a mother, wife, daughter, husband or father, than a ticket in the Kentucky State Lottery. It has long been acknowledged that it offers greater inducements to the purchasers of tickets than any other legalized lottery in the world. The December scheme surpasses, in grandeur, any thing of the kind ever presented to the public; its distribution [illegible]. The capital prize [illegible] securing a handsome fortune to the lucky holder of the corresponding ticket. Hundreds of well attested instances, similar to the following, are almost daily occurring: "Miss Mary Russell Milford, who died in 1855, when only ten years of age, gained, as a prize in a lottery, the handsome sum of two thousand pounds, or fifty thousand dollars. The ticket which drew this magnificent sum was presented to her by her father, Dr. Milford, one of the most prominent men and judges of his time." How many homes would be brightened by a similar success in the GRAND HOLIDAY DRAWING of the Kentucky State Lottery, on December 31, 1867.

LIST OF PRIZES.

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| 1 prize of | $60,000 | 9 prizes of | $1 00[illegible] |
| 1 prize of | 20,000 | [illegible] prizes of | [illegible] |
| 1 prize of | 9,000 | 180 prizes of | [illegible] |
| 1 prize of | 7,000 | [illegible] prizes of | [illegible] |
| [illegible] | 7,000 | [illegible] prizes of | [illegible] |
| [illegible] | 1,000 | 18 prizes of | [illegible] |
| [illegible] | [illegible] | 261 prizes of | [illegible] |

Prizes Amounting to $230,650.

32,000 Numbers and 788 Prizes.

Tickets, $12; Halves, $6; Quarters, $3.

PLAN OF THE LOTTERY—The numbers, from 1 to 32,000 on separate slips of paper, are encircled in the tubes and placed in a glass wheel by the sworn Commissioners; the prizes are similarly encircled and placed in another wheel. A number is drawn by a blindfolded boy, and at the same time a prize is drawn in the same manner; both are opened and exhibited to the audience, and the number having a prize entitled to the prize drawn with it. This operation is repeated until all the prizes are drawn.

The above magnificent scheme will be drawn in public at Covington, Kentucky, on the 31st day of December, 1867, being the GREAT HOLIDAY DRAWING of the year.

These Lotteries are chartered and authorized by the Legislature, and are conducted under the supervision of three sworn commissioners, appointed on the all of the State, to see that justice is done to all. They are not gift enterprises, but responsible money institutions, which have paid [illegible] since 1837, and have many more years to run. Bonds to a large amount are filed to secure the payment of all prizes.

The official list of numbers drawing prizes will be published in the New York Herald, Chicago papers, Cincinnati Daily Commercial and Cincinnati German papers.

Address all orders for tickets to MURRAY, EDDY & CO., Covington, Kentucky. de10

D. G. KENNY, Civil Engineer and Surveyor. J. S. PORTER

### KENNY & PORTER,

### REAL ESTATE BROKERS

AND GENERAL AGENTS.

HAVING permanently established our office in No. 2 Kl Williams' Block, corner of Second and Madison streets, we intend doing strictly a Real Estate Brokerage in Memphis and its surrounding country, together with Surveying, Draughting and Engineering in the country. The drainage of swamp lands, locating and estimating of levees, etc. Also the Rental and Leasing department of our business, will receive special attention. Using always our best exertion for the benefit of our patrons, we respectfully solicit a liberal patronage of the public. D. G. KENNY, J. S. PORTER. no9

### J. H. CASH,

### Cotton and Produce FACTOR,

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No. 226 Front Street, Memphis, Tenn.

### F. BACHLY,

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### Boots, Shoes & Gaiters,

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MEMPHIS, - - - - - - - TENN

All kinds of Repairing Neatly Executed on Short Notice.

### N. M. Trezevant's Suburban Residence and Lands.

ABOUT twenty lots, not disposed of at public sale, remain on the market privately, upon the same terms heretofore offered, and for the easy purchaser. Truth and long terms [illegible] residence, [illegible] near the [illegible].

Apply to my agents, Messrs. Royster, Trezevant & Co., or to myself on the premises.

de1 N. M. TREZEVANT.

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AUCTION.

### To Bankers, Insurance Companies —AND— CAPITALISTS GENERALLY.

IMPROVED

### Main and Madison Street Property.

WE WILL SELL, on long time, at auction, on the

10th Day of December Next,

On the premises, the following valuable real estate, to-wit: Two Houses (with forty-nine feet six inches front, running back to an alley, situated on the south side of Madison street, [illegible] Main, and adjoining the "Marble Block"; these houses are each leased to FIRST CLASS PAYING TENANTS, yielding per annum to the owner. Each house will be sold separately. The locality of this property, as an investment, speaks for itself. TERMS—One-fourth cash, [illegible] the balance in five equal annual payments, with SIX PER CENT. interest.

### Valuable Main Street Property to be added to the above sale.

Attention of capitalists is also specially directed to the sale which we will make, at the same time and place, of that valuable property on Main street, next to the corner of Madison, occupied by

The Savings Bank of Memphis.

The Lot being twenty-three feet front, covered with a splendid four storied brick building, the rental of which is about $6,000 per annum.

TERMS—Half cash; two, four and six months. ROYSTER, TREZEVANT & CO., Auctioneers.

### TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS WORTH OF New and Elegant Furniture

To be sold at Public Auction

BY W. H. PASSMORE & CO.,

No. 260 Second Street.

Opening sale MONDAY MORNING, the 9th instant, at ten o'clock, and continue from day to day until closed out. The stock consists of

Mahogany Chamber Sets, Sociables, Elizabeth Rockers, Parlor Chairs, Stuffed Oval Rockers, Center Tables—wood and marble tops, Marble top Bureaus, Bureaus plain, Smoking Chairs, Barber Chairs, Oak Chamber Sets, Oak tops, Mahogany and Rosewood Arm Rockers, Patent Chamber Sets, Carved Easy and Rocking Chairs, Assorted Card Tables, Washstands—marble top and plain, Wardrobes, Desk and Counter Stools, Sewing Rockers, Children's Rockers, Desk and Counter Stools, Wood Seat Dining Chairs, Cane seat Dining Chairs, Circle End Tables, etc. Patent Sideboards, Extension Tables, etc. de8

### Executor's Sale of Thirty Farms AND VALUABLE TOWN LOTS At Haysville, MEMPHIS & LOUISVILLE RAILROAD (WYTHE DEPOT),

TOGETHER with the entire HAYS TRACT of 4,000 acres, sub-divided into small Farms.

On Thursday, December 12, 1867,

By direction of the Executor of Samuel J. Hays, deceased, we will sell at public sale to the highest bidder, the lots in the TOWN OF HAYSVILLE, as per plan, together with thirty farms, varying in size from 25 to 200 acres. These Lots and Farms are situated twenty-four miles from Memphis, on the Memphis and Louisville railroad. The convenient location and great fertility of these Farms eminently entitle them to the favorable notice of all who desire to engage in the growth of Cotton or Cereals. The advantages of a choice of ready access to markets above or below them for what they desire, and the opportunity of securing a cheap, convenient and healthy home in the country without interruption to their business in the city. Titles perfect.

TERMS—One-fourth cash, balance in one and two years, with interest. Trust deed to secure deferred payments. no27 ROYSTER, TREZEVANT & CO., Auctioneers.

### In County Court of Shelby County.

To the Heirs and Creditors of J. M. Kelly, deceased,

I WILL apply for letters of administration on said estate at the January Term, 1868, of said Court. de10 ANDREW J. KELLAR.

### J. B. WASSON & WM. WASSON, DENTISTS.

HAVE REMOVED THEIR OFFICE to their old stand, over their Drug Store, No. 318 Main Street. de8

### G. H. Hurd, Dentist,

No. 72 Jefferson Street,

EXTRACTS Teeth without Pain, with NITROUS OXIDE or LAUGHING GAS. de8

### Notice.

WE would respectfully inform the citizens of Memphis and the public in general, that ROBERT WARLOW has organized a STRING BAND, and will furnish as many pieces as his customers may desire. Orders can be left at KAUBE's ALEXANDER's, shop No. 11 Jefferson street, and at DAVE JONES' barber shop, 341½ Main street. de8

### Dissolution.

THE partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned for the last thirteen years, under the name and style of R. P. Walt & Co., is by mutual consent dissolved, dating from December 1st, 1867.

R. P. Walt assumes and will pay the entire liabilities of the firm. Each party is fully authorized to use the firm name in settling the old affairs. R. P. Walt will continue the Western Produce business at No. 7 Main street, for his own account and risk, under the name and style of R. P. Walt & Co. R. P. WALT, MARTIN WALT. de8

### A. F. DAVIS,

### PRACTICAL HOUSE & SIGN PAINTER.

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### Cotton Factors

AND

Commission, Receiving & Forwarding MERCHANTS,

No. 286 Front Street, Memphis, Tenn.

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JOHN TRENT & CO., Propr's,

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Flowers for Bouquets and Wreaths always on hand.

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From and after this day I will close out my entire stock of

Seasonable Winter Clothing AND Furnishing Goods

Of every description at Cost, and many articles for Less than Cost for Cash.

All bills are discontinued. I sell from this day for nothing but the cash on delivery; and at the end of the month or week.

Country Merchants

Can now replenish their stocks at Less than New York Prices. The special attention of the Ladies is directed to my large and well assorted stock of

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From three years old up.

This is the best opportunity ever offered for supplying yourselves at greatly reduced prices, for I am determined to close out the entire stock within ninety days.

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| Cases Prints, | Cases Bleached Domestics, |
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AT

UNPRECEDENTED LOW PRICES.

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| Empress Cloths, | Delaines, | Merinoes, |
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| Empress Cloths, | Delaines, | Merinoes, |
| Empress Cloths, | Delaines, | Merinoes, |

AT

SLAUGHTERING PRICES

Per Steamer Delaware, Just Arrived,

### MENKEN BROTHERS'

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Bed Blankets at $2 50, worth $4,
Bed Blankets at $3 50, worth $5,
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ALL AT

EXTRAORDINARY CHEAP PRICES.

### MENKEN BROTHERS'

### Great Sale Flannels & Linens!

White all wool Flannels, 25 cts, worth 40 cts,
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Red all wool Flannels, 35 cts, worth 50 cts,
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ALL AT

BARGAINS! BARGAINS! BARGAINS!

### MENKEN BROTHERS'

### Great Cloak Sale.

Cloth and Velvet Cloaks, all at cost,
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ALL REDUCED TO

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Bargains in Prints, Bargains in Dress Goods,
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Bargains in Clothing, Bargains in Linseys,
Bargains in Jeans, Bargains in Boots & shoes. de8

### COMMERCIAL HOTEL.

### Trustee's Sale.

TAKE NOTICE, that on MONDAY, the sixth day of January, 1868, I will, at the Commercial Hotel, in the city of Memphis, and state of Tennessee, by virtue of powers vested in me by a deed of trust executed to me by D. Bryson, J. W. Mancourt and T. W. Brown, on the 9th day of April, 1867, sell, at public auction, a large and valuable lot of

Furniture, Beds, Bedding and Table Ware, Two Billiard Tables,

And other articles with which the said Hotel was supplied; as also all the property mentioned and described in the said deed of trust. The sale to commence at ten o'clock a. m. de8 T. W. BROWN, Trustee.

JOHN H. SPEED, Speed, Donoho & Strange. JAMES S. CARPENTER of Louisville, Kentucky.

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CAPITAL ... $17,000,000

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### City Scrip Wanted.

WE offer one of the best VACANT LOTS on Union street, near the Court House, at assessed tax valuation, payable one-third down, the balance in three, six, nine and twelve months, with privilege to the purchaser of making all the payments in City Scrip, at fifty cents on the dollar.

We want to make the sale within a week.

de8 ROYSTER, TREZEVANT & CO.

### Lumber, Laths, Shingles, Cedar Posts

FLOORING, CEILING,

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Cheaper than ever at

R. E. & J. W. COCHRAN'S,

Foot of Washington street. de8

### Notice.

THE Law Firm of THOMPSON & FRAZER is dissolved by mutual consent of the parties. Both of them will give attention to the business in their charge as heretofore. WM. G. THOMPSON, C. W. FRAZER. November 29, 1867. no30

### For Sale.

ONE of the best PLANTATIONS in Fayette county, Tennessee, near a station on Memphis and Charleston railroad, six hundred and twenty acres in the tract, about four hundred and fifty of which are cleared, with good improvements and never failing well of excellent water. There are eighty acres sowed in fall wheat, ten in rye and twenty in timothy and herd's grass. Will sell with the place ten or twelve work mules, one yoke good oxen, two wagons, plantation tools one thousand bushels corn, stock of hogs, cattle and sheep, now on the place. For further information inquire of no26 H. L. CARTER, 6½ Jefferson street.

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HAVE now on hand the largest stock of STOVES, GRATES and MANTELS ever brought to this market, which they are selling at prices which defy competition.

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Our facilities are such that we can offer Superior Inducements to Cash Buyers. ROOFING, GUTTERING and JOBBING done with the utmost dispatch, and at Lowest Cash Prices.

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This medicine has been administered with the utmost success in the hospitals of Paris. It is a perfect substitute for COD LIVER OIL, and has been found most beneficial in DISEASES OF THE CHEST, SCROFULA, LYMPHATIC DISORDERS, GREEN SICKNESS, MUSCULAR ATONY and LOSS OF APPETITE. It regenerates the constitution in purifying the blood, it being the most powerful depurative known. It has also been applied with happy results in DISEASES OF THE SKIN. Further, it will be found to be of great benefit to young children subject to HUMORS and OBSTRUCTION OF THE GLANDS.

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This delicious preparation is always prescribed by the most reputed medical men in France in cases of derangements of the digestive functions, such as GASTRITIS, GASTRALGIA, LONG AND LABORIOUS DIGESTION, wind in the stomach and bowels, EMACIATION, JAUNDICE and COMPLAINTS OF THE LIVER AND LOINS.

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This vegetable substance, which grows in the Brazils, has been employed since time immemorial to cure INFLAMMATION OF THE BOWELS. It has proved of late to be of the greatest service in cases of CHOLERA, as it is preventive and a cure in cases of Diarrhea.

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TOTAL LOSSES PAID, $21,371,973 37.

### ÆTNA INSURANCE CO.,

HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT.

JULY 1, 1867.

ASSETS—AT MARKET VALUE:

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| Cash on hand and in Bank | $515,836 29 |
| Real Estate | 246,965 62 |
| Mortgage Bonds | 87,510 00 |
| Bank Stock | 1,240,490 00 |
| United States, State and City Stock, and other public securities | 1,966,808 58 |
| | $4,050,068 37 |
| Less Liabilities, Claims not due and unadjusted | 277,208 69 |
| Net Assets | $3,772,860 [illegible] |

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### MOSBY & DORION,

### Commission Merchants,

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THE DAILY AVALAN[CHE]

TUESDAY, : : : : : : DECEMBER [10, 1867]

Arrival and Departure of Trains. MEMPHIS AND CHARLESTON RAILROAD. [illegible]

MISSISSIPPI AND TENNESSEE RAILROAD. [illegible]

MEMPHIS AND LOUISVILLE RAILROAD. [illegible]

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# THE DAILY AVALANCHE.

TUESDAY, : : : : : : DECEMBER 10, 1867

**Arrival and Departure of Trains.**

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| Through Express Daily | [illegible] | [illegible] |
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| Somerville Accommodation Daily, (Sundays excepted) | 7:35 A.M. | 5:00 P.M. |

Ticket office, 275 Main, corner of South Court street.

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CARRYING CONCEALED WEAPONS.—Thos. Conlin and Wm. B. Newton were each fined ten dollars yesterday, in the Police Court, for carrying concealed weapons, and the case of Dan. Renfrew, for the same offense, was continued.

CONCERT.—The concert for the benefit of the United Hebrew Benevolent Association comes off to-night, and from the array of talent secured for the occasion, we have no doubt but that it will be one of the pleasantest affairs of the season.

A TURNIP.—We received yesterday through the politeness of Mr. H. T. Reed, of the Friar's Point *Coahomian*, one of the largest turnips we have ever seen. It was raised on the plantation of Mr. McGhees, and weighed in the neighborhood of four pounds.

FALSE PRETENSES.—Samuel Griffin, a negro soldier, and one of those who "fought well," was yesterday sent to jail by 'Squire Hall, to await an examination for swindling the United States Government out of a double share of bounty. He will be examined to-day.

Emmons & Son, No. 10 Jefferson street, and 305 Main street, have received all the late magazines and weekly literary papers, and dailies from all parts of the country. Everything late and good in the shape of papers and magazines can always be found at their establishment.

AFTER THEM.—The county road overseers are after the delinquents who have neglected or refused to do their share of work in keeping the county roads in good repair. Thirty-five summonses to as many different persons were yesterday issued for them to appear and show cause why they had so neglected.

We direct the attention of our readers to the circular of the Kentucky State Drawing, published in to-day's paper. This is the only legalized drawing of the kind in the United States, and is conducted under all the guarantees of fairness provided by State legislation. It sets forth many brilliant inducements.

THE BALL.—The ball at the Memphis Club Hall last night, which closed the fair for the benefit of St. Patrick's Church, was well attended, and everything passed off in the most pleasant and agreeable manner. There was a most brilliant array of beauty and loveliness and of chivalry, and "all went merry as a marriage bell." The fair was, we understand, a success, and the ball all that could have been wished.

FOR TAX COLLECTOR.—We have the pleasure to announce this morning the name of John Newsome as a candidate for the office of Tax Collector. To the community who know Mr. Newsome so long and so well, it seems unnecessary for us to say anything in his favor. In former times he held the position for which he is now a candidate for twelve years, to the universal satisfaction of our citizens, and were the city searched through, no better man could be found.

CHRISTMAS.—Now that Christmas is near at hand persons begin to inquire where the nicest toys and holiday goods can be obtained cheapest. To all such we would say call on Wheeler, Pickens & Co., No. 330 Main street. They also have a large and well selected stock of wood and willow ware, the most complete in the city. Persons desiring anything in their line cannot do better elsewhere than at the wood and willow ware headquarters, 330 Main street.

THE IRISH CITIZEN.—Our readers are referred to the advertisement of the *Irish Citizen*—John Mitchell's paper. It is unnecessary for us to commend to our people a paper under the control of this sterling friend to the South in her darkest days. But few living men wield a more graphic pen than does the Irish American patriot, and no single one contributed more to the success of our cause than did that of John Mitchell, and now that he has again launched into the sea of literature, we feel assured that he will receive a warm-hearted, generous support from his thousands of admirers throughout the South.

Joe Locke, 22 Jefferson street, AVALANCHE building, has just received the Southern Home Journal, second, third and fourth numbers; one of the best papers printed; Father Ryan, Charles H. Smith (Bill Arp) and a great many of the ablest men in the South contribute to it. The leading story is by John Esten Cooke—"Mohun; or the Fate of the Calverts." He also has Peterson's Magazine for January, London News and Times, Harper's Weekly, Frank Leslie's Pleasant Hours, and all of the latest magazines and dailies, books, stationery, etc., etc.

THE NEW MEMPHIS.—Miss Cecile Rush opened last night to about the average Monday night house; the piece selected for her initial performance being "East Lynne." We have seen ladies in this character whom we liked much better than Miss Rush, although, as a whole, her performance was creditable. The Levison of Frank Roche was a good presentation of the polished, cool, smooth tongued rascal, while what Mr. Ferguson was cast for such a character as Richard Hare is, we could not see. Mr. Lowery appeared for the first time at the New Memphis, last night, and the public would lose nothing if it should be his last time, if his Archibald Carlyle is to be his standard. Fanny Pierson, as Barbara Hare, was good, and her singing of "Then you'll remember me," was very sweet. Mrs. Moore, as Cornelia Carlyle, was excellent, and was the fun of the piece. To-night Miss Rush will appear in the "Long Strike."

THE CHARLESTON ROAD.—This first-class road has established a ticket office on the corner of South Court and Main street, where all information in regard to the shipment of cotton and other freight over this fast line can be procured. We have before spoken in the highest terms of the facilities offered by this line for transportation of cotton and other freight to the East. Their connections are so perfect that the route over the Charleston road has come to be recognized by our merchants as the quickest now engaged in the moving of cotton to the seaboard, and its certainty of placing goods on the wharves of the East within the advertised time has not, in a single instance, met with a failure. Another advantage gained by the shipper by this line over the other routes is, that it is by far the cheapest, and the transportation of his cotton not costing him so much, he is thus enabled to pocket the margin. Shippers will consult their own interest by using the Charleston railroad route to the East.

ROPED IN.—On Saturday a young gentleman from Mississippi, strolling along Front street, was accosted by an individual who claimed an old acquaintance, and proposed to take him around to see the sights. Unsuspecting innocence took hold of the bait, and the two entered a hurdy gurdy show on Front street. After looking at the "museum of living curiosities," "friend" proposed to go behind the scenes. There they were greeted by a gentleman, with a very enticing lottery, which our verdant Mississippian bucked against to the extent of five dollars, and then "backed out." "Friend" explained how a little fortune could be made with the help of fifty dollars, and "verdant" produced the desired amount. But, lo! "friend" lost, and "verdant" began to swear, and proposed to "friend" to thrash out the shanty, but, most unkind cut of all, "friend" was a partner in the concern. The young gentleman made complaint to the police, and the show man was made to refund. We wonder that, after so many exposures by the press of this nefarious practice, persons would be roped in; but some will not heed.

"CRAG FONT."—This is the title of a most interesting novel just issued from the press of Blelock & Co., of New York and Memphis, from the gifted pen of a young lady of Georgia. The reasons of the fair authoress for writing thus anonymously we cannot perceive; it certainly could not be from any doubts she had in regard to the merit of her story, for it bears in its every page the stamp of genius, and we hope it is but the precursor of many more such sterling emanations from her facile pen. This is her maiden effort, and it is well worthy to rank with the matured effusions of many of our female writers who have been before the country for years. It is a book from which all who read it will rise wiser and better, and, as the offspring of the genius of a daughter of the South, we feel proud of it and its fair authoress, and predict for "Crag Font" a success which is not often awarded to our home productions. We append the following, from the Columbus (Georgia) *Enquirer*, as fully expressing our opinion of the book:

"Crag Font" has been written by a young and gifted daughter of Georgia, and, though it be her first work, it will place her at once in the list of the most distinguished competitors for literary fame. She plays upon the heart strings with the touch of one deeply versed in mystic lore, and has gathered from the various fields of Mythology, ancient and modern philosophy, Grecian and Roman poetry, painting, sculpture and song, materials of rare lustre, of which she has wrought a glorious temple—so attractive in its outlines, so beautiful in its proportions, with its graceful spires, columns and dome, that those who enter its hall will linger in wonder and praise of the literature, language, arts, religion and laws with which the fair architect has adorned each chamber. The Christian will rise from this temple not only in admiration, but with a prayer to Almighty God that one so young and talented may be guided by His divine hand, and her ready pen be directed to the promotion of the sublime attributes of Justice, Mercy, and Truth.

The plot is admirable, and well filled with thrilling incidents. The characters are natural, and well sustained throughout, with all the delicate shades of passion, pride and ambition portrayed with the force of one who has made "the study of man" her chief pursuit. The reader is led on, as it were, by an enchantress—sometimes beguiled by the magic music of her song, then lost in wonder at her exquisite portraitures of life and character, virtue as it is made to triumph over vice, high resolves and holy hopes brought to the goal of their ambition by unconquerable energy, in defiance of the cold world's scorn and poverty's relentless sway.

The style is chaste and elegant, abounding in classical imagery and beauty. The sentiment is pure and elevated, betraying the highest appreciation of the good and excellent. "Crag Font" will doubtless challenge the admiration of the most fastidious, and the verdict of its enlightened readers will be, "Many daughters have done well, but thou excellest them all."

A CHANGE IN OUR CONDITIONS.—During the month of December, we can sell no goods on credit, for at the prices we are at present sacrificing our goods at, we must sell for cash only. Respectfully, yours, B. LOWENSTEIN & BROS.

Gayoso House has reduced board from $4 to $3 per day. See advertisement.

## HUNTER'S BAIL.

### How Negroes are Turned Loose from Hunter's Court.

### Two of his Bondsmen Arrested for Perjury—Exciting Chase.

Saturday, in the Criminal Court, the case of John Henry was up, on application for a new trial. It will be recollected that this black desperado, some time since, broke into Lyons, Fles & Co.'s dry goods store, corner of Main and Jefferson streets, and stole from thence a quantity of dry goods. An application was made Saturday for a new trial, and the Judge concluded to grant it, provided he could give bail in the sum of $2,000 for his appearance. This Henry said he could do, and produced as his bondsmen two negroes, named respectively, George Washington and Tom Smith, who signed the requisite bond. Now it was well known to dozens in the Court, that neither of these men, if both were shook up together, was worth twenty-five dollars. Immediately after they had signed the bond, an order was issued for his release, and his friends started to convey to him the glad tidings. But on the Metropolitan police force we happen to have some single minded and honest officers, who pay more attention to doing their duty than to cultivating the negro for the purpose of securing their votes. Knowing the facts, Sergeant Brown arrested one of the bondsmen on the charge of perjury, and asked him where the other one was, when he pointed across the street to him. The negro noticed the motion, and knowing his guilt, immediately broke and run. The officer placed his prisoner in safe hands, and immediately gave chase. The negro ran down the alley between Second and Third, and for an amateur he made good time, but the law was at his heels, and he was finally brought to bay on the corner of Third and Court streets, snugly ensconced underneath a bed. He was taken out and conveyed to the Central station. This is but one sample, among a thousand, of the manner in which Hunter turns negroes loose, after they have been arrested for the perpetration of crimes under the code of Tennessee. It has become almost impossible to convict and punish a negro before this court, as Hunter would sooner allow a dozen crimes to go unpunished than one vote should be lost to his party. This is so, and it always will be so as long as the Judge is a partisan, and weighs, as he does, his every judicial act in the scale of politics.

Since writing the above we have been informed that George Washington was arrested about a month ago charged with being a vagrant, and only escaped suffering the penalty by promising to go to work. Such are Hunter's bondsmen. Comment is unnecessary.

## THE MAYORALTY.

### Colonel Wm. H. Fitch Indorsed by the German Union Association.

In our report of the Convention at the Greenlaw Opera House, the other night, we mentioned that Colonel Fitch's friends were too sharp to allow him to take the pledge so cunningly proposed by old Grandmother Hunter, the taking of which, more than anything has been the means of laying Dr. Shaw upon the shelf. Fitch did not propose to be crushed down by any such process, and he is now in the field, running for the mayoralty on his own merits. The great majority of the respectable portion of the Radical party, white and black, are down on Beecher, and swear they will have nothing to do with him, as he is the nominee, solely, of the negro leagues, and that he received even that nomination by trickery, as he acknowledges himself. Fitch has got the *entre* of all the Leagues, as well as Beecher, and he seems determined to use this privilege to its full extent in his canvass against him. Then there is another thing which can be said about Fitch—that he has the reputation of being an honest man; and not even the most barefaced friend of Beecher, except perhaps Bowen or Judge Hunter, would for a moment accuse him of any such thing. As an evidence of how the current of the canvass is drifting among the white Radicals, we would state that Fitch has received the nomination of the German Union Association. This organization is probably the oldest of a political character in the city, is well regulated, and embraces the names of about six hundred of our German citizens, all of whom have heretofore voted for the nominees of the Radical conventions. This time they have determined to bolt, and this adds another ingredient to the muddle of our city politics.

## FIRE.

### Four Frame Houses Consumed.

Last evening, about six o'clock, a fire broke out in the frame tenement on the southwest corner of Second and Gayoso streets, occupied as a blacksmith and wagon shop by William C. Ellis, which, together with the three adjoining tenements, were entirely consumed. The house next to Ellis' was occupied as a livery stable by Captain Louis; the adjoining one was a negro bar-room, kept by one Warlow, and the next was occupied by a negro as a shoemaking shop. The firemen succeeded in staying the progress of the flames as they reached the saloon on the corner of the alley, known as the Court Recess. The loss was not very heavy, and we think that $5,000 would cover the whole matter. There was no insurance upon the premises, except upon that of Mr. Ellis, upon which and the stock, there was an insurance in the Ætna for $2,000.

## MIKE PYNE DISCHARGED.

### Investigation Before Esquire Miller.

Yesterday, about noon, Mr. Mike Pyne was examined before 'Squire Miller for the killing of William Carrigan. The evidence adduced was the same, in every essential particular, as published in the AVALANCHE of Sunday morning. It was proved conclusively that Carrigan had time and again threatened to take the life of Pyne, and that he went to Pyne's store on the night of the affray, for the express purpose, as he said himself, of "killing or being killed," and all the circumstances clearly proved that Pyne was the man he wanted to kill. At the conclusion of the evidence he was discharged, as it was clearly demonstrated that the killing of Carrigan was done strictly in self-defense.

Gayoso House has reduced board from $4 to $3 per day. See advertisement.

PERSONAL.—Captain John T. Hillsman, than whom no better soldier ever drew a blade under the gallant General William H. Jackson, is in town, and may be found by his friends enjoying the genial hospitality of Colonel Cockrell, at the Gayoso. The Captain is at present acting as the Southern agent for Lloyd, Watson & Manner, Cincinnati, Ohio, wholesale dealers and importers of fine liquors.

Dr. F. G. McGavock's pleasant face beamed upon us yesterday. The Doctor is in fine health and spirits.

Mr. Ed. Garland, of the Water Valley (Mississippi) *Courier*, and his accomplished lady, were in town yesterday, and put up at the Gayoso.

Miss Fanny Price, accompanied by Mr. Hatchett, left on Sunday afternoon, bound for Cincinnati.

Miss Cecile Rush arrived on Sunday night, and may be found at the Overton. She opened last night at the New Memphis.

Dr. Arthur Taylor is still confined to his room. His indisposition is nothing serious.

RISK & JOHNSON.—As this is the season when the wares of this firm are in most demand, we know our readers will thank us for calling their attention to the superior advantages offered by this house to persons wishing to purchase stoves, grates or mantle pieces. In the article of stoves no firm in the South can sell a better or a cheaper article, as they are the manufacturer's agents. They are the sole agents for Buck's patent "brilliant" and "peerless," and J. H. Lithgow's celebrated cooking stoves, and if any better can be found in the country the fact has not yet been demonstrated. They also keep on hand a stock of hollow ware of all descriptions, fire irons, sash weights, sheet iron, zinc, wire, nails, and all manner of tinners' stock. For cheapness and quality of goods, Risk & Johnson, 306 Main street, are second to none. They are also prepared to do roofing, guttering and jobbing at the cheapest rates.

HARD ON THE ALDERMEN.—A couple of gentlemen happened into the barber shop of one of our colored citizens, a day or two ago, when one of them, slapping the proprietor on the shoulder, said: "Here is an amount of latent talent which has never been appreciated or developed. Why don't you run for Alderman in your ward?"

Negro—"What is you trying to get at?"

Mr. —, "Why, just this; I want you to allow me to use your name as a candidate for Alderman in the Sixth ward."

Negro—(Looking indignant), "Say, Mr. —, I'se always took you for a friend of mine, I'de like to be an Alderman, but sir, I doesn't like the company."

STOCK STEALING.—The horse thieves are still at work. The following are their latest operations: An iron grey horse was stolen from the pastor of St. Peter's Church, on Adams street, about six o'clock on Sunday night. He left it for a few moments in front of St. Patrick's Church, while he stepped inside, and when he came out it had disappeared. A light bay mule was stolen from in front of Marrett & Co.'s cotton press, on Madison street, on Sunday. A black mare mule from S. S. Spicer, of Spicer, Anderson & Co.'s, 366 Main street. The mule was taken from Spicer's residence, 161 Hernando street, on Saturday night. A dark brown mare mule was stolen from Rhodes & Parker, of 300 Front street. The mule was taken from the corner of Fourth and Jefferson streets, and had on a set of dray harness.

THE DENTAL ASSOCIATION.—This most excellent association is daily becoming of more and more importance in our city and State. At the present time they have before the Legislature a bill of incorporation, which we hope will speedily become a law. We would direct the attention of all concerned to the following:

I would respectfully announce to the Dental profession that the first semi-annual session of the Tennessee Dental Association will convene at Jackson on Friday, the 20th of this month.
WM. T. ARRINGTON, Secretary.
MEMPHIS, December 10, 1867.

WANTED.—Two young gentlemen want a furnished bedroom, easy of access, and within two or three squares of the AVALANCHE office. Address "G," at this office, giving location and terms.

Gayoso House has reduced board from $4 to $3 per day. See advertisement.

Ducks, fish, spiced beef, and other delicacies, at Fuch's, 41 Jefferson street.

## THE COURTS.

SHELBY CIRCUIT COURT—Judge Reeves, presiding.—To-day will be motion day. The clerk will call the roll of attorneys as usual.

CRIMINAL COURT.—William Hunter, Judge.—The jury in the case of the State vs. Wilson (larceny) returned a verdict of not guilty. The case of Saunders (larceny) had not closed at a late hour last evening. A verdict will be rendered to-day. The jail cases will continue to be called to-day.

CHANCERY COURT.—Wm. M. Smith, Chancellor, etc.—The divorce case of Stillman vs. Stillman, commenced on yesterday, will continue throughout the entire of to-day. A jury has been empannelled to try an issue of fact. The immense mass of testimony in the shape of depositions, discloses quite a large amount of human depravity. Colonel [illegible] the petitioner and Mr. Robinson the respondent.

MUNICIPAL COURT.—Geo. W. Waldran, Judge.—The cases set for trial to-day are as follows:

[illegible list of cases, including: Grider vs Allen et al.; Low vs Park; Mayor and Aldermen of Memphis vs Neil; Mayor and Aldermen of Memphis vs Cowan; Larkin vs Ferguson; Williams vs Laws; Cohen vs Southern Express company; Murphy & Cash vs C[illegible]; Williams & Co vs Pickerell; Waltering vs Hughes]

LAW COURT.—James O. Pierce, Judge, etc.—The following cases are set for trial to-day:

[illegible list of cases, including: Maydwell vs Vaughn et al.; Coleman, use, vs Flaherty; Davy, administratrix, vs Jackson I. and G Ins co.; Chandler vs Pope et al.; Wall vs Cloud; Allen vs Sullivan; Cammeron, administrator, vs Isman; Cochrane vs Latrope; Cowen vs Irwin; Cash vs Roswell; McPherson vs Holland; Davis vs Mayor and Aldermen of Memphis; Gatewood vs Rogers; Spiegel vs Delap; Tate vs Carruthers]

LOOK SHARP.—M. Cayce & Co. sell this morning, a great assortment of stock. All can be furnished for little money. They sell furniture at two o'clock. The assortment is extensive. We say go to the Arcade, if you wish to save money.

The great furniture sale will be continued this morning at the auction rooms of W. H. Passmore & Co., 260 Second street, and we advise our friends to attend the sale if they desire to furnish their houses or rooms at a low figure.

Read the advertisement of Lindauer, Arnold & Co., 311 Main street, in regard to their great closing sale. tf

Our immense stock dress goods at prices that will insure a ready sale, at Lindauer, Arnold & Co.'s, 311 Main street. tf

Southern Hotel, on European plan, open at all hours. Lodging for two hundred gentlemen. Rooms $4 to $8 per week; beds, fifty cents per night. Open at all hours. Boarding rates very low. 2t

Quails and prairie chickens constantly on hand at Fuch's, 41 Jefferson street.

The last call. The balance of our stock must be sold at any price. Elson Bros., 297 Main street. 3t

Special reductions on cloaks and shawls at our great clearing sale. Elson Bros., 297 Main street. 3t

Country merchants and planters that want dry goods, had better attend the greatest closing out sale of the season at Mr. Kraus & Co., No. 218 Main street, corner of Adams.

Employment wanted by a good accountant. See wants.

Victor Fuchs, 41 Jefferson street, has on hand nice venison and bear meat at twenty-five cents per pound.

Important to gentlemen who need the following: Shirts, undershirts, drawers, socks neckties, and a complete stock of furnishing goods. Call at the great closing out sale of the season, where you get them at half price, at M. Kraus & Co.'s, No. 218 Main street, corner of Adams.

Come early. We will guarantee you bargains at our great clearing sale. Elson Bros., 297 Main street. 3t

You ought to have seen the rush at M. Kraus & Co.'s, No. 218 Main street, for the past week. Such bargains have never been offered before. Call early and secure them.

Don't forget it. Our great closing sale continues till 1st of January, only. Elson Bros., 297 Main street. 3t

Best prints, 12½ cents; 4-4 bleached domestics, 10 cents; best 4-4 brown domestics, 15 cents, at M. Kraus & Co.'s, No. 218 Main street, corner of Adams.

Dry goods, etc., at your own price at our great clearing sale. Elson Bros., 297 Main street. 3t

Money to loan, on collateral security. Apply at No. 260 Second street. 1w

The place for bargains is at Drake & Co.'s, 277 Main street. tf

Don't fail to attend the great closing out sale of M. Kraus & Co., No. 218 Main street, corner of Adams.

No humbug. Call and see the prices at our great clearing sale. Elson Bros., 297 Main street. 3t

Miles' shoes for ladies and children, at reduced prices, at Lindauer, Arnold & Co.'s, 311 Main street. tf

Ladies', misses' and childrens's shoes at seventy-five cents. Men's boots at two dollars, and boys' boots at one dollar, at J. H. Loewenstine & Bros'., Clay building. They are quitting business. 3t

Bulwer Lytton says that a refined gentleman may always be known by the perfumes he uses. In American society it is recognized as a mark of elevated taste to patronize Phalon's "Night-Blooming Cereus." Its purity, freshness and delicacy, commend it to all persons of poetic taste and feeling.—*Concord Patriot.*

Our prices will be seen to merit your patronage, at Lindauer, Arnold & Co.'s, 311 Main street. tf

COAL! COAL! COAL!—For superior Pittsburg coal leave your orders at Bigley, Mellersh & Co.'s, No. 25 South Court. 1m

Bed blankets, balmoral and hoop skirts, shawls and cloaks, at the greatest reduction in price, at Lindauer, Arnold & Co.'s, 311 Main street. tf

Drake & Co. are selling clothing and furnishing goods at *New York cost.* 277 Main street. tf

Great closing sale at Lindauer, Arnold & Co.'s, 311 Main street, commencing Monday, November 11th. tf

A competent bookkeeper wants a situation. See want column.

We are determined to close out business, so you will miss a rare opportunity by not calling at Lindauer, Arnold & Co.'s, 311 Main street. tf

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## RIVER NEWS.

AVALANCHE OFFICE,
TUESDAY, December 10.

BUSINESS—WEATHER—RIVERS.

Weather cloudy, with indications of more rain. River stationary, with six feet four inches in the channel out to Cairo. At Cairo the river is rising, the rise being from the Cumberland and Tennessee. The Ohio is rising at Pittsburg, with five feet in the channel. At Cincinnati and Louisville the river was rising. The rise from Pittsburg will no doubt make a good channel and improve navigation in the Ohio. White river is rising slowly, with four feet in the channel. The Arkansas is on a stand, with three feet in the channel.

ARRIVALS.

Steamer Peoria City, St. Louis.
" H. S. Turner, St. Louis.
" Adam Jacobs, St. Louis.
" Nick Longworth, Cairo.
" Southerner, Cairo.
" Tennessee, Cairo.
" Henry Ames, New Orleans.
" Agnes, New Orleans.
" St. Patrick, Vicksburg.
" Goldfinch, Hale's Point.
" Countess, Hale's Point.
" Commercial, White river.

DEPARTURES.

Steamer Peoria City, Vicksburg.
" H. S. Turner, St. Louis.
" Agnes, St. Louis.
" Cora S, Louisville.

IN PORT.

Commercial, Henry Ames, St. Patrick, Adam Jacobs, Sam J. Hale, Southerner, American, Des Arc, Tennessee, Countess, Goldfinch.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Business on the wharf yesterday was quite active, with a good list of boats in port, receiving and discharging. The river was rising at Pittsburg, yesterday, with five feet in the channel, and coal barges departing for the South. The river is also rising at Cincinnati and Louisville. This is encouraging news to steamboatmen. If the rise is as great as reported, we may look for a revival of business in the Ohio.

BURNING OF THE STEAMER J. S. MCCUNE.—We are indebted to Mr. James A. Parker, second clerk of the McCune, for the following particulars in reference to this disaster. The boat burned to the water's edge at Prairie Landing, on White river, twenty miles above the mouth, on Friday night, at twelve o'clock. Only one life was lost, that of the steward, John Riley, of Columbus, Kentucky. The boat was loaded down to the guards, having 1,0[illegible] bales of cotton, and ten tons miscellaneous freight. She was bound for New Orleans. She had no passengers. The boat was partially insured in St. Louis offices; the cargo for its full value in New Orleans. The crew were brought to this city by the steamer Commercial, whose officers treated them with the greatest kindness.

The Nick Longworth, Captain Irvin, leaves the city wharfboat this morning, at ten o'clock, for New Orleans and the bends. Charley Miller is her clever and accommodating clerk.

The Edinburg, bound from this port for Cincinnati, with seven hundred bales of cotton, has laid up at Evansville, on account of low water, and will reship her cotton from that point by rail.

The Henry Ames, Captain Hicks, arrived from New Orleans yesterday morning. She is receiving for a return trip, and will leave on Wednesday for New Orleans and the bends. John Sullivan, a sociable gentleman, officiates in the office.

The Cora S. left for Louisville last evening with ninety bales of cotton.

The palatial passenger steamer Mollie Able will be in port to-day, and leave at five p.m. for New Orleans. Captain Symmes commands with Jake Selman in the office. The Mollie has been widened and lengthened and made one of the finest boats that plies the Mississippi. We will visit her on her arrival, and report the improvements made on her at St. Louis.

Captain Reese Pritchard has dropped the American down to the levee, and is loading her for the Arkansas river to leave on Wednesday.

The St. Patrick, Captain Garrett Huls, arrived yesterday from Vicksburg, and is receiving for a return trip to Vicksburg and the bends, and leaves to-day at five p.m. Captain Lee Finney is her chief purser.

The H. S. Turner left for St. Louis last evening with 120 bales of cotton.

The Des Arc has dropped down to the wharf, to load for White river.

The Centralia will be at the wharf to-day, to receive for the Arkansas, and leave to-morrow at five p.m.

The Sam. J. Hale leaves to-day for Cincinnati.

The Adam Jacobs, Captain Hemingway, arrived from St. Louis last evening, with a fair trip. She returns to St. Louis to-day at five p.m.

The Tennessee, Captain Parker, arrived from Cairo last evening, with a good trip. She is the regular Cairo and bends packet, and leaves to-day at five p.m. She gives prompt attention to all way business. Messrs. Thomas Brasheer and Van Dusen are her courteous and attentive clerks. We return thanks to these amiable gentlemen for a manifest.

Captain John Langlois is receiving cotton on the Star wharf-boat for the Mollie Able.

The fine steamer Rubicon, Captain Blake, leaves to-day at four p.m. for Vicksburg and the bends. She will make all way landings, and takes the mail. Mr. Alf. Grissome is her attentive and courteous clerk.

The Lizzie Gill, Captain O'Neal, will leave the city wharfboat to-day, at five p.m., for New Orleans.

The Minnie leaves to-morrow for St. Louis.

The Commercial came in from White river last night, with a fair list of cotton and cabin full of people.

One of the best hotels in the South is the Worsham House. Its liberal and courteous proprietor, Mr. C. B. Galloway, has made many additions to it, both in architectural renovation and in the service. The Worsham House is centrally located, possesses all the modern improvements, has polite and attentive waiters, comfortable rooms, and the table is always filled with all the delicacies of the season. We can fully recommend the Worsham as a first-class hotel in every respect.

The Mollie Hambleton, Captain Bowman, leaves to-day, at five p.m., for St. Francis river.

Messrs. English and Thompson, the two senior members of the River News Agency, speculated in deer meat, on Friday last, which unaccountably brought them ten dollars in debt. Captain Dick says he does not want any more venison at the price.

Snows instead of rain have prevailed on the Wabash at Vincennes.

The Melnotte, Alaska and Lizzie Hopkins will leave Cincinnati for New Orleans on the first rise in the river.

The Emperor left Cincinnati Saturday evening for Memphis.

Captain John Davis, superintendent of the Memphis and White river packet line, has contracted at Cincinnati for the hull and cabin of his new White river packet. The hull will be 200 feet on deck, 34 feet beam, with 5½ feet depth of hold. The cabin will be full length and of the most modern style. The machinery will comprise 3 boilers, containing 4 flues each, 38 inches in diameter and 26 feet long, the cylinders being 18½ inches in diameter, with 6 feet length of stroke. Daniel Morton builds the hull and cabin for $17,000. She will be an elegant first class passenger packet, and will be finished in sixty days.

The superb passenger steamer Commercial is the regular Tuesday White river mail packet. She leaves at five p.m. for White river and all way points, connecting at Duvall's Bluff with the Little Rock railroad for all points on the Arkansas river. Her accommodations are unsurpassed, and she is in charge of competent and careful officers. Captain Wm. Ashford commands, with Captain Morton in the office. Charley Smithers attends to her freight department.

The Peerless, being fully repaired, leaves Evansville this evening for Arkansas river.

The Julia and Commonwealth were announced to leave St. Louis, Saturday evening, for New Orleans.

The river, at St. Paul, has frozen over, and navigation in the upper Mississippi has been closed for the winter.

The Southerner, Captain Dick Mason, is receiving at the wharf for New Orleans and the bends, and leaves to-day at five p.m. The Southerner is officered by Memphis men, who are competent and experienced steamboatmen. Clay Rice, a popular clerk and sociable gentleman, has charge of the office, assisted by Mr. Aleck Stewart, one of the best freight clerks on the river. Mr. Barren, an efficient and experienced caterer, has charge of the *cuisine*. He is known as one of the best stewards on the Mississippi, and has for many years catered on first class steamers.

Captain H. L. Lee has sold the J. G. Blackford, at New Orleans, to Captain C. C. Pickett, for the Opelousas trade.

A case of some interest was in progress in the Supreme Court at Cincinnati on Friday, the parties being John W. Trover vs. the Layfayette Insurance company, of this city. Trover claims to have had a mortgage on the steamer Ella, sunk in 1865, in the Arkansas river, twenty miles below Little Rock. The insurance company had issued a policy for $2,500, and Trover claims an interest of $9,000 in the boat. No written mortgage is in existence. The parties neglected to make the mortgage, but both the owner of the boat and Trover make affidavit to the fact that the boat was understood to be controlled by Trover, and was held by him as security for the debt. The insurance company contest the suit on the grounds that Trover had no mortgage interest in the boat. If we are not mistaken there are several parties in this city that hold claims against the steamer Ella. The decision of the court being adverse to Trover's claim, may give the creditors a show to get their money by proper process.

The elegant steamer M. S. Mepham, Captain McDonald, leaves to-day at five p.m. for St. Louis.

The St. Louis *Republican*, of Saturday, says:

The weather yesterday was bright and pleasant, but towards evening turned considerably cooler. Business was extremely dull; freights for Southern points were offered in extremely limited quantities, at rates anything but satisfactory to steamboatmen. The river is again receding, although but slowly. Departures were, like the arrivals, very limited, embracing only the Adam Jacobs, for Memphis, with but a slim trip. Steam was raised for the first time yesterday on Captain Entriken's new steamer Bismarck; everything worked smoothly. A trial trip will probably be made on Monday. The Board of Underwriters have finally come to the conclusion to take risks on the barges in tow of the Ocean Wave, and Captain Merry is now making engagements for freight.

The Cincinnati *Enquirer* of Saturday says:

The weather yesterday was remarkably mild for the season, and cloudy, with drizzling rain in the forenoon. A swell is reported in the Kanawha and neighboring streams, and the Ohio is rising at Gallipolis and Pomeroy. River men were more confident of an early rise yesterday. The river at this point has risen two inches in the twenty-four hours ending last evening. There was not much doing on the wharf yesterday.

The Nashville *Gazette* of Saturday says:

The Cumberland at this point was still swelling yesterday, the rise altogether amounting to seven or eight inches. There have been heavy rains both up and down the river, and a further rise is expected.

M. Kraus & Co., 218 Main street, corner of Adams, are slaughtering goods regardless of cost or value.

The subject of conversation with everybody is how cheap they are selling goods at Elson's great clearing sale. 3t

TO THE PUBLIC.—Owing to the extreme financial depression of the country, I have concluded that it is right and demanded, and I desire to meet my friends and the public, as far as I can afford; therefore, the charges of the Gayoso House, in future, will be $3 per day, instead of $4. The table and house generally will be conducted as heretofore. The traveling public well know that the best sleeping apartments and beds in the South, and equal to any in America, are to be found at the Gayoso House.

Very respectfully,
1w D. COCKRELL.

Ladies, attend the great closing out sale of the season at M. Kraus & Co.'s. Their salesmen have imperative orders to sell regardless of cost or value.

We defy competition. Our great clearing sale continues till January 1st. Elson Bros., 297 Main street. 3t

MAGNIFICENT ESTABLISHMENT.—There is on exhibition at the confectionary store of B. Rocco, corner of Main and Adams streets, one of the most beautiful pieces of workmanship we have ever seen—a splendid palace, constructed in a most ingenious and elegant manner, of candy. It occupies the whole show window, and is one of the most beautiful and attractive features of that portion of the city. Large crowds are attracted to this fine confectionary establishment by this window, and when they enter the store they do not fail to find the largest and best selected stock of confectionaries in the city. Every thing in the confectioner's line will always be found here at the most reasonable rates, and of the very best quality. Country merchants and citizens wishing to make purchases in this line connot find a better place to promptly and satisfactorily supply their wants than at B. Rocco's, corner of Main and Adams streets. He has also received a large supply of the best Malaga grapes, which he will sell cheap. Give him a call. tf

NEVER GIVE IT UP.—If you have tried all other remedies and have not been relieved, do not give it up, but procure immediately a bottle of Dr. Williams' Pulmonic Balsam of Wild Cherry and Wood Naptha, and you will certainly be cured. Try it, and you will be rejoiced at the result. It has never been known to fail. Sold by all druggists everywhere. J. B. Wasson & Co., general wholesale agents, No. 318 Main street. 1w

## BUSINESS NOTICES.

[illegible]—Ex-Confeds and "Rebs" will find Pollard's new [illegible] the only paper in the South devoted to the memories of the lost [illegible] at Wildman & Johnson's [illegible], 23 Poplar street, Albert Beer's and Emmons & Son's, 10 Jefferson street. Its reminiscences and anecdotes of the war are edited by Paul H. Hayne, of South Carolina. Ex-Confederate officers and soldiers are requested to send anything they may have in the way of sketches, incidents and anecdotes of the late war to him at Augusta, Georgia. 1m

ERRORS OF YOUTH.—A gentleman who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the receipt and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience, can do so, by addressing, in perfect confidence,
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Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children teething, greatly facilitates the process of teething, by softening the gums, reducing all inflammation; will allay all pain and spasmodic action, and is sure to regulate the bowels. Depend upon it, mothers, it will give rest to yourselves, and relief and health to your infants. We have put up and sold this article for years, and can say in confidence and truth of it what we have never been able to say of any other medicine—never has it failed in a single instance to effect a cure, when timely used. Never did we know an instance of dissatisfaction by any one who used it. On the contrary, all are delighted with its operation, and speak in terms of commendation of its medical effects and medical virtues. We speak in this matter "what we know," after years of experience, and pledge our reputation for the fulfilment of what we here declare. In almost every instance where the infant is suffering from pain and exhaustion, relief will be found in fifteen or twenty minutes after the syrup is administered. Full directions for using will accompany each bottle. Be sure and call for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," having the fac-simile of "Curtis & Perkins" on the outside wrapper. All others are base imitations. Sold by all druggists throughout the world. Price only thirty-five cents per bottle. Offices—25 Fulton street, New York; 205 High Holborn, London, England; 41 St. Paul street, Montreal, Canada. eod

## MONETARY.

DAILY AVALANCHE OFFICE,
TUESDAY, December 10, 1867.

The money market yesterday was quiet and devoid of interest. Money continues to rule stringent. Discounts rule close, with rates of interest [illegible] First class paper rules from 1[illegible] per cent. per month. Short loans, on the street, command from [illegible] per cent. per month.

Gold at New York opened at 137¾ and closed at 136⅞. The market here was quiet; buying at 13[illegible]. Silver steady; buying at 13[illegible].

EXCHANGE—Quiet; banks discount Eastern sight commercial bills at [illegible]; on New Orleans at [illegible].
CITY SCRIP—Is weak, with a light demand; brokers offering [illegible] and selling at [illegible].
COUNTY WARRANTS—Continue dull; buying at [illegible] and selling at [illegible].
POLICE SCRIP—Steady; buying at [illegible] and selling at [illegible].

## COMMERCIAL.

DAILY AVALANCHE OFFICE,
TUESDAY, December 10, 1867.

Business in commercial circles yesterday exhibited very little animation. The local packets that generally bring orders did not arrive until late last evening. In the general market, there was only a small trade doing. Merchants are endeavoring to establish the cash system, and produce and provision dealers only sell for cash. The streets presented an active appearance. A large number of country people were in the city.

[illegible]

COTTON—The market yesterday was quiet with a light demand. Holders offered freely, but buyers operated cautiously and seemed inclined to hold off the market. Transactions for the day were light, with sales of 800 bales; middling, 14½@15c; strict middling, 15½c; low middling, 14½@15c. The New York market closing dispatch reported small transactions with a decline in prices; uplands, 17c; Orleans, 17½c; sales for the day, 1,600 bales. The Liverpool market was reported active, with sales of 12,000 bales; uplands, 7⅝d; Orleans, 8d. The market here closed dull and unsettled at the following quotations:

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| Ordinary | 12@[illegible] |
| Good Ordinary | 13@[illegible] |
| Low Middling | 14½@[illegible] |
| Middling | 15@[illegible] |
| Strict Middling | [illegible] |
| Good Middling | [illegible] |

**Cotton Statement.**

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|---|---|---|
| Stock on hand Sept. 1, 1867 | | 1,060 |
| Received this day | 2,381 | |
| Received previously | [illegible] | 81,725 |
| | | 82,[illegible] |
| Exported this day | 1,032 | |
| Exported previously | [illegible] | 72,[illegible] |
| Stock on hand | | 10,[illegible] |

CINCINNATI PROVISION MARKET.
CINCINNATI, December 8, 1867.

There is rather a firmer market for provisions than at the date of our last, owing partly to the firmness of the market for hogs, prices [illegible] light receipts [illegible] [illegible]

NEW ORLEANS COTTON STATEMENT—DEC. 7, 1867.

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| Stock on hand Sept. 1, 1867 | | 16,[illegible] |
| Received since yesterday | 1,539 | |
| Received previously | 158,[illegible] | 79,[illegible] |
| | | 60,112 |
| Exported since yesterday | 8,[illegible] | |
| Exported previously | [illegible] | |
| Stock on hand and on shipboard this evening | | 79,[illegible] |

TOBACCO STATEMENT.

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|---|---|---|
| Stock on hand Sept. 1, 1867—hhds | | 3,[illegible] |
| Received since yesterday | [illegible] | |
| Received previously | 1,[illegible] | 1,[illegible] |
| | | 4,[illegible] |
| Exported since yesterday | [illegible] | |
| Exported previously | [illegible] | |
| Broken up for bailing and city consumption | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Stock on hand and on shipboard | | [illegible] |

### MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK MARKET.
NEW YORK, December 9.

Cotton dull and ½c lower; sales, 1,900 bales. Flour better; superfine, $8 [illegible] Wheat quiet. [illegible] Coffee nominal. Sugar quiet; Cuba, [illegible]. Molasses quiet.

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.
NEW YORK, December 9.

Money steady, 7 per cent. for call loans. Sterling firm, [illegible]. Gold 36⅝. Government stocks firmer. Stocks active and higher; old Tennessee, [illegible]; new, [illegible]. Receipts at Sub-treasury, $2,344,000; payments, $2,734,000; balance, $104,[illegible].

CINCINNATI MARKET.
CINCINNATI, December 9.

Flour, 25c higher; family, $11 50. Wheat active, $2 45. Corn dull, [illegible]. Oats steady, [illegible]. Rye held at $1 60. Whisky dull and nominal. Hogs, [illegible]. Provisions firm. Mess pork [illegible]. Lard held firmly, [illegible]. Green meats higher; hams, 12½c. Butter scarce and firm at [illegible]. Clover seed, [illegible]. Apples, $3 00@3 50. Potatoes, $[illegible].

LOUISVILLE MARKET.
LOUISVILLE, December 9.

Tobacco supply light; lugs, $5 00@6 85; common to medium leaf, $6 75@15 50. Flour firm; superfine, $7 75; A No. 1, $11 50. Wheat, $2 15@2 30. Corn, in ear, [illegible]. Oats [illegible]. Hogs, [illegible] gross. Mess pork advancing; new, $22 00. Lard in tierce, 13½c. Shoulders, [illegible]; clear sides, 12½@13½c. Raw whisky, in bond, 25c.

NEW ORLEANS MARKET.
NEW ORLEANS, December 9.

Cotton [illegible]; sales, 4,500 bales. Receipts since Saturday, 7,[illegible] bales; exports, 6,[illegible] bales. Sugar active at full prices; common, 11c; prime, 13½c. Molasses better; fair, [illegible]; prime, [illegible]. Flour better; superfine, $9 50; choice, $[illegible]. Corn [illegible]. Oats [illegible]. Bran [illegible]. Hay [illegible]. Pork [illegible]. Bacon dull; shoulders, 11c; clear sides, [illegible]. Lard, prime, in tierce, 13½@14c. Gold, 36¾c. Sterling, [illegible]. New York sight, ½@⅝ discount.

ST. LOUIS MARKET.
ST. LOUIS, December 9.

Tobacco unchanged. Flour steady; superfine, $6 75. Wheat advanced [illegible]. Corn higher, [illegible]. Oats, [illegible]. Barley firm, [illegible]. Rye firm, [illegible]. Pork firm, [illegible]. Bacon; clear sides, [illegible]. Lard, [illegible]. Hogs, [illegible].

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**Lizzie Gill** ........ O'Neal, master
This fine passenger packet will leave as above THIS DAY, December 10, at 5 p.m.
LARRY HARMSTAD & CO., Agents,
Corner Main and Madison streets,
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Regular New Orleans Passenger Packet.
For Vicksburg, Natchez, New Orleans and the Bends.
**Nick Longworth** ........ Irwin, master
This splendid packet will leave as above on THIS DAY, December 10, at 10 a.m.
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Regular Memphis and New Orleans Packet.
For Vicksburg, Natchez, New Orleans and the Bends.
**Mollie Able** ........ Simms, master
This splendid packet will leave as above on THIS DAY, December 10, at 5 p.m.
JAS. T. BOURNE & CO., Agents,
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Regular Memphis and New Orleans Wednesday Packet.
For Vicksburg, Natchez, New Orleans and the Bends.
**Henry Ames** ........ Hicks, master
This fine passenger packet will leave as above WEDNESDAY, December 11, at 5 p.m.
LARRY HARMSTAD & CO., Agents,
Corner Main and Madison streets,
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Regular Memphis and New Orleans Packet.
For Vicksburg, Natchez, New Orleans and the Bends.
**Southerner** ........ Mason, master
This commodious side-wheel steamer will depart as above TUESDAY, December 10, at 5 p.m.
LARRY HARMSTAD & CO., Agents,
Corner Main and Madison streets,
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### FOR WHITE RIVER.

U. S. Mail.
Regular Memphis and White River Tuesday Packet.
For Helena, Duvall's Bluff, Augusta and Jacksonport.
**Commercial** ........ Ashford, master
This fine passenger packet will leave as above TUESDAY, December 10, at 5 p.m.
LEVY & MILLER, Agents,
de10 No. 3½ Madison street.

### FOR CAIRO.

Regular Memphis and Cairo Weekly Packet.
For New Madrid, Hickman, Columbus and Cairo.
**Tennessee** ........ Devenny, master
This elegant passenger steamer will leave as above THIS DAY, December 10, at 5 p.m.
LARRY HARMSTAD & CO., Agents,
Corner Main and Madison streets,
de10 Or at the City Wharfboat, foot of Monroe.

### FOR ST. LOUIS.

Regular Memphis and St. Louis Packet.
For Hickman, Columbus, Cairo and St. Louis.
**M. S. Mepham** ........ McDonald, master
This fine passenger steamer will leave as above on THIS DAY, December 10, at 5 p.m.
WM. JAY JOHNSON, Agent,
de10 Star Wharfboat.

Memphis and St. Louis Packet Company.
For Hickman, Columbus, Cairo and St. Louis.
**Adam Jacobs** ........ Hemminway, master
This elegant steamer will leave for the above THIS DAY, December 10, at 5 p.m.
de10 FLEM. CALVERT, Superintendent.

Regular Memphis and St. Louis Packet.
For Hickman, Columbus, Cairo and St. Louis.
**Minnie** ........ Shaw, master
This elegant and swift steamer will leave as above WEDNESDAY, December 11, at 5 p.m.
LARRY HARMSTAD & CO., Agents,
Corner Main and Madison streets,
Or at the City Wharfboat, foot of Monroe.

### FOR VICKSBURG.

U. S. Mail.
Regular Memphis and Vicksburg Packet.
For Helena, Napoleon and Vicksburg.
**Rubicon** ........ Blake, master
This new and splendid passenger steamer leaves THIS DAY, December 10, at 4 p.m.
LARRY HARMSTAD & CO., Agents,
Corner of Main and Madison streets,
de10 Or at the City Wharfboat foot of Monroe.

U. S. Mail.
Regular Memphis and Vicksburg Tuesday Packet.
For Helena, Napoleon and Vicksburg.
**St. Patrick** ........ Garret Huls, master
This elegant passenger packet will leave as above TUESDAY, December 10, at 5 p.m.
LEVY & MILLER, Agents,
de10 3½ Madison street.

### FOR CINCINNATI.

Dean Line.
Regular Memphis and Cincinnati Packet.
For Cairo, Louisville and Cincinnati.
**Sam J. Hale** ........ Walker, master
This fine passenger packet will leave as above TUESDAY, December 10, at 5 p.m.
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de10 3½ Madison street.

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For Cairo, Louisville and Cincinnati.
**Sam J. Hale** ........ Walker, master
This fine passenger packet will leave as above TUESDAY, December 10, at 5 p.m.
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### FOR ST. FRANCIS RIVER.

Regular Tuesday and Friday Packet.
For Helena and St. Francis River.
**Mollie Hambleton** ........ Bowman, master
W. H. CLARK, Clerk.
This splendid passenger packet will leave Memphis regularly as above every TUESDAY and FRIDAY, during low water season.
For freight or passage apply on board, or to
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Corner Main and Madison streets,
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### FOR ARKANSAS RIVER.

Regular Memphis and Arkansas river packet.
For Helena, Napoleon, Pine Bluff and Little Rock.
**American** ........ Pritchard, master
This fine passenger steamer will leave for the above TUESDAY, December 10, at 5 p.m.
LARRY HARMSTAD & CO., Agents,
Corner Main and Madison streets,
de10 And City Wharfboat, foot of Monroe street.

Regular Memphis and Arkansas River Weekly United States Mail Packet.
For Helena, Napoleon, Pine Bluff.
**Centralia** ........ master
This superb steamer will leave as above TUESDAY, December 10, at 5 p.m.
JAMES T. BOURNE & CO., Agents,
12 Jefferson street.

**Memphis, Randolph, Fulton, Osceola, Hale's Point and Little Prairie Bend Packet.**

STEAMER

## GOLDFINCH.

WILLIAM KARR, Master. BRUCE HUNTER, Clerk
Leaves Memphis TUESDAY, 10th, at 4 p.m. de10

### FOR HAVRE.

THE A 1 American Bark T. H. ARMSTRONG, Lodge, master, is now loading at New Orleans, and being of small capacity will have dispatch. Through Bills Lading signed for J. H. Ashbridge & Decan at office of T. J. Irvine & Co., Agents, 276 Front Street.
J. H. ASHBRIDGE & DECAN,
de8 No. 159 Common street, New Orleans.

### FOR LIVERPOOL.

THE A 1 fast sailing British ship ZIMI, Payson, master, is now loading at New Orleans, and will have dispatch. Through bills lading signed for J. H. Ashbridge & Decan, at office of T. J. IRVINE & CO., Agents, Memphis, 276 Front street.
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**Regular Memphis and New Orleans Saturday Packet.**

The elegant Passenger Packet

## BART ABLE

W. C. HARRISON, Master.

Will leave for New Orleans this day, SATURDAY, the 7th instant, at 5 p.m., and each alternate Saturday thereafter during the entire cotton season.
Particular attention paid to way and plantation business.
JAMES T. BOURNE & CO., Agents,
de7 No. 12 Jefferson street.

**Memphis and White River Packet Company.**

## Tri-Weekly Line

THE STEAMERS

**GUIDON, COMMERCIAL AND OZARK**

Have formed a Tri-weekly Line between Memphis and White river, leaving Memphis EVERY TUESDAY, THURSDAY AND SATURDAY at five o'clock p.m.
JOHN D. DAVIS, Superintendent.
LEVY & MILLER, Agents. 3½ Front street. oc12

**Regular Memphis and New Orleans Wednesday Packet.**

THE ELEGANT PASSENGER STEAMER

## NICK LONGWORTH

A. R. IRVIN ........ Master

WILL leave for New Orleans on WEDNESDAY the 20th instant at 5 p.m., and each alternate Wednesday thereafter during the season.
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LARRY HARMSTAD & CO.,
Agents.
Captain SAM. SHOCK, Passenger Agent. oc12

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LIVERPOOL SOUTHERN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FIRE QUEEN, 1,800 tons ........ Williamson, Commander.
ALICE, 1,[illegible] tons ........ [illegible], Commander.
ALHAMBRA, 1,[illegible] tons ........ Thomas, Commander.
GLADIATOR, 1,[illegible] tons ........ [illegible], Commander.
ACROPOLIS, 1,[illegible] tons ........ Edwards, Commander.
AMAZON, 1,100 tons ........ [illegible], Commander.
PANTHEON, 1,100 tons ........ Henry, Commander.
OLINDA, 1,100 tons ........ Williams, Commander.

The steamship ALICE, Turner, Commander, will sail from New Orleans on WEDNESDAY, January 1, 1868.

Will receive cotton, and sign through bills of lading here; to St. Petersburg, Moscow, Riga, Hamburg, Bremen, Antwerp, Dunkirk, Rotterdam, Amsterdam, Havre, Stettin, Harlingen, Zwolle, Copenhagen, Konigsberg, Dantzig, Christiana, Christiansand and Gothenberg.
Cabin passage to Liverpool, $125 in gold.
Through bills of lading signed for J. H. Ashbridge & Decan, at office of T. J. IRVINE & CO., Agents, Memphis, 276 Front street.
J. H. ASHBRIDGE & DECAN,
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**Regular Tuesday Packet for Vicksburg and the Bends.**

## ST. PATRICK.

GARRET F. HULS, Master; CLAY RICE, Clerk.

THIS splendid steamer will continue in the trade during the season, leaving Memphis every TUESDAY at five p.m. Freight for New Orleans will be reshipped at Vicksburg on the mail line from that port.
Rates as low as by any other line. oc12

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**St. Louis, Memphis and Vicksburg Packet Line.**

ONE of the four following first class side wheel steamers will leave Memphis promptly on FRIDAYS and MONDAYS at 5 o'clock p.m., for Vicksburg and all way landings: Steamers

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E. H. CHOUTEAU, [illegible], master, FRIDAYS.
COLUMBIAN, Barnes, master, MONDAYS.
PEORIA CITY, D. H. Silver, master, MONDAYS.

Making close connection with Meridian and Selma Railroad and Yazoo river packets.
By promptness and regularity and strict attention to all business entrusted to them, these packets trust to merit and receive the patronage of shippers.
Freight received at all hours at City Wharfboat foot of Monroe street.
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**Four Hundred Acres of Fine Land,**

ONLY fifty acres cleared, balance heavily timbered, most of it above overflow, situated on Loosa Hatchie river, three miles north of Raleigh.
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Or to L. G. RIVES, Attorney at Law, Exposition building, Memphis, Tenn.

# THE IMPENDING CRASH!

## TO THE CITIZENS OF MEMPHIS.

THAT the money market is stringent, and nothing to warrant the hope that the near future may bring forth a betterment of things, is but too strongly evidenced by the many and large failures of business houses, and alone in Memphis, but all over the country.
In view of these matters we have, after two weeks strict attention, succeeded in going through our immense stock from the first to the fourth floor, and marking down the same to prices that it will repay our labor.
As an enumeration of our IMMENSE AND WELL SELECTED STOCK would occupy too much time and space, we shall content ourselves with a mention of the leading departments in our house, hoping thereby we may attract the desired notice, without resorting to the petty catchpenny system of enumerating "catch penny" prices in connection with certain articles, of but little or no value.
Being one of the oldest, if not THE OLDEST DRY GOODS ESTABLISHMENT IN MEMPHIS, and, we presume, in point of reliability and the means to remain any losses the times may inflict, SECOND TO NONE IN THE CITY, we trust that any announcement emanating from us may be received in the true and genuine light it is intended. We have nevertheless, on our business on the strength of newspaper "puffs" and promises, nor do we intend to do it now; but Dry Goods being about to become throughout the country, we think it but due to our many old patrons to make them aware of the great and sudden decline in our prices.
The departments will be comprised in the following, viz:

### CLOAK AND SHAWL ROOM.

An elegant assortment Black Velvet de Lyon Saques, Black and Colored Beaver Saques, Black Cloth Saques, Chinchilla Saques. A large and well assorted stock of Wool Shawls, Hoods, Nubias, Breakfast Shawls, etc.

### FURS! FURS! FURS!

An extensive variety of FURS at very attractive prices.

### SILK DEPARTMENT.

A finely selected stock of Silks, some fine evening shades. Our line of BLACK SILKS DEFIES COMPETITION, as regards quality and price.

### DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT.

Embraces Irish Poplins, in all colors and shades. French, Norwich, Regatter, Lyonnaise and Velvet Poplins. Also, a large stock of Merinos, Empress Cloths, Black and Colored Alpacas—an endless variety, Bombazines, Wool Plaids, etc. Some beautiful goods for walking and driving suits.

### HOSIERY AND GLOVES DEPARTMENT.

A full and beautifully selected stock of Ladies' and Misses' Hosiery, Alexander's Gloves. A full line of Ladies', Gents', Youths, and Misses' Underwear.

### LINEN AND HOUSEKEEPING DEPARTMENT.

We have the most complete stock of Irish Linens, from the best recognized manufacturers. Table Damasks—single and double, Napkins and Doylies, Towels and Towellings, Crash, etc. The most complete stock of Blankets and Flannels we have ever had. Counterpanes and Quilts, a large stock.

### CLOTH DEPARTMENT.

A magnificent stock of Black Cloths—French, Italian and German, Tweeds for boys' suits, Scotch and West of England Tweeds Cloakings—extremely pretty.

BOOT AND SHOE DEPARTMENT—A complete stock of Miles' Boots and Shoes.

### TO PLANTERS.

Our stock of PLANTERS' GOODS is too well known to require any remarks, other than call attention to it. It is replete with Brogan Shoes and Brogans Hats, Clothing in endless variety and best material. Plain and Plaid Linseys, Kerseys and Jeans, Osnaburgs and Stripes. In fact everything that is needed by the Planter in the shape of dry goods, and at figures that will insure satisfaction.
In addition to the above many inducements, we have for salesmen young men who, for attention and politeness, and knowledge of their business cannot be excelled, if equalled in this city.
As we are not "closing out," nor running away from the city, we don't desire to make any statements that will meet refutation. Therefore, give us a call, and then by satisfy yourselves of our sincerity.

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To arrive, per Steamer "Topeka," from LONDON,
To arrive, per steamer "Fanny Carl," from CADIZ,
To arrive, per Steamer "J. H. Stetson," from LIVERPOOL, a complete stock of

**PURE PORT AND SHERRY WINES**

From the choicest vineyards of the UPPER DOURO in Portugal, and XEREZ DE LA FRONTERA, SPAIN.
Also, per ship "Regia," from BORDEAUX,
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B. J. SEMMES & CO.,
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## NOTICE.

HAVING this day sold my interest in the late firm of N. H. STOUT & BROTHER to CHARLES STOUT and EDWIN STOUT, they hereby assume the liabilities of the firm, and are authorized to collect and receipt for all debts due the same.
N. STOUT, Surviving Partner N. H. Stout & Brother.

## CHARLES STOUT & BROTHER,

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KEEP constantly on hand a large stock of BUILDERS' HARDWARE, MECHANICS' TOOLS, etc., of the best quality and at LOWEST CASH PRICES.

**THE RUSH TO ELSONS'**

## GREAT CLEARING SALE

STILL CONTINUES.

JUST RECEIVED from New York Auctions, and will be included in this sale:

Children's All Wool Hose, 12½ cents per pair.
Double Blankets, All Wool, $4 75 per pair.
New Calicoes, best brands, 12½ cents per yard.

Our Lease expires on the first of January, and we shall positively Retire from Business after that date.
Now is your time to secure

## Greater Bargains Than Ever!

**Look at the Prices Below.**

Owing to the great rush and the Extremely Low Prices at which we offer Goods, the prices are

## For One Week Only.

Irish Linens, warranted, only 40 cents per yard.
English Crash, only 12½ cents per yard.
Jouvin's Kid Gloves, only 90 cents per pair.
Ladies' Calf Shoes, $1 per pair.
Bleached Domestics, 8 to 12 cents per yard.
Double width Merinoes, 50 cents per yard.
Empress Cloth at all prices.
Bugle Gimp and Fringe and other Fashionable Trimmings at half price.
Having sold most of our stock of GENTS' CLOTHING we offer the balance of this stock at Half the Eastern Cost.
Ladies' Paper Collars and Cuffs, new styles.
Ladies' Hem Stitched Handkerchiefs—cheap! cheap!
Cloth for Mens' and Boys' Clothing, for 50 cts to 75 cts per yd.
Fine all Wool Nubias—only 50 cts each.
Breakfast Shawls, Capes, Cloaks, and other goods too numerous to mention.

**All must be Sold at any Price.**

Boys' Shoes, all sizes, $1 per pair.
Boys' Boots, only $1 25 per pair.

Do not neglect this opportunity of supplying yourselves with good Goods at

**Less than before the War.**

This is an opportunity which will NEVER AGAIN OFFER. We shall positively quit business after the first day of January, 1868.

Flax Thread, best quality, 75 cents per pound.

LOOK AT OUR — LOOK AT OUR
**Cheap Tables! Cheap Tables!**

For many useful and ornamental articles at Ruinously Low Prices.

Buttons, Tapes, Threads, Needles, Pins, etc.

Remember, this is a CLEARING SALE! The entire Stock must go at any price.

**ELSONS' MAMMOTH CHEAP STORE,**
297 Main Street no24

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OUR Goods are all entirely new, and we are determined to UNDERSELL any house in the city. We are no branch of any New York, Cincinnati, St. Louis or Louisville house. We DON'T send all the money we make off to invest in some NORTHERN city.

**Our Tailoring Department Cannot be Excelled.**

Suits made to order at very short notice and at the very Lowest Prices. Encourage HOME TRADE and give us a call, and if we can sell you we will. Relieve your money at home. ENCOURAGE home trade if you wish to have a prosperous country.

J. H. WAGGENER & CO.,
oc19 294 Main street.

## Notice.

WE have this day appointed Messrs. ALLISON BROTHERS our sole agents to settle and wind up our old business in this city.
All persons indebted to us, and all parties having claims in their possession for collection from our former agent, Mr. W. B. Paul, will make all remittances and address all communications to them; they alone being authorized to receipt for payments made in liquidation of said business.
HILLMAN, BROTHER & SONS.
MEMPHIS, TENN., December 1, 1867. de4

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A. S. SHELTON & CO., Cotton Factors and Commission Merchants, are now prepared to furnish, at the yard, a first class Coal at One Dollar per barrel. Test it and prove its quality. Orders for Coal must be left at the office, Room 7, Cooper Block, Monroe street. no28

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All Cost Houses to the contrary notwithstanding

**EXAMINE OUR STOCK**

**Compare Prices and be Convinced**

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300 BALES HAY.
20 sacks of Corn.
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150 sacks of Bran.
100 barrels Cape Lime.
100 barrels of Cement.
50 barrels of choice Flour.
50 barrels White Meal.
15 casks Shoulders.
10 barrels Apples.
5 barrels Ground Oil Cake.
On consignment and for sale cheap, by
JNO. K. MOODY & CO.,
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## Royal Havana Lottery

OF Cuba, conducted by the Spanish Government; $360,000 in gold drawn every seventeen days; prizes cashed and information furnished; the highest rates paid for Doubloons and all kinds of gold and silver.
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# THE DAILY AVALANCHE.

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TERMS—Daily paper, per annum, in advance, $12; Weekly $3. ADVERTISEMENTS inserted at $1 50 per square for first insertion; each subsequent insertion, 50 cents. Twenty cents per line for special notices.

**OFFICE:**

In our new building, No. 22 Jefferson street, near the corner Main.

**MISSISSIPPI ITEMS.**

An old apple tree in Natchez has borne fruit three times this year.

An expert telegrapher, at Columbus, proposes to teach a class of ladies and gentlemen.

A writer in the *Sunny South* advocates combined action on the part of landholders, to encourage the immigration of settlers.

Many of the large planters in Marshall are anxious to sell a portion of their lands to small farmers.

The name of the postoffice at Flewellyn's Cross Roads, DeSoto county, has been changed to Independence.

Seven negroes, assisted by an outsider who furnished them with an iron bar, escaped from Macon jail, Thursday night.

The Okalona *News* has reappeared, with G. B. Winston, late of *Our Own Paper*, Pototoc, as editor.

The Meridian *Messenger* reiterates, with circumstance, its assertion that coercion was used with negro voters at Sookalena.

The Ladies' Davis Association have decided upon renewing their efforts to procure a home for the ex-President.

The Yazoo Banner judges from present appearances that labor will be plenty next year.

Frank Piaza, of Vicksburg, is charged by the military, with retailing liquor between Friday night and Monday morning. The penalty is forfeiture of his whole stock.

In Claiborne county the farmers have organized a detective police, for the protection of their stock, which is being destroyed by thieves prowling through the country.

The store of Barnett & Meggot, at Vicksburg, was robbed Friday night, the burglars digging through a brick wall a foot thick. The thief and the receiver of the goods were both arrested.

Major F. C. Semmes, an old citizen of Meridian, died at his residence Tuesday. The deceased was a member of the secession State Convention of 1861, and of the Legislature of the State for the same year.

A gentleman named Neal, of Pickens county, Alabama, was found dead, a few days since, at the tank two miles from Iuka, having been run over by a railroad train, on which it is supposed he was trying to get, after having got off for some purpose.

One white man, twelve miles from Macon, with occasional assistance from three little boys, has made fourteen bales of cotton, besides plenty of corn. Two white men, who rented land on Deer creek, have made corn for next year, and twenty-four bales of cotton, with hired help to pick it.

Hons. Fulton Anderson and C. E. Hooker, two of the counsel engaged for the defense of ex-President Davis, have returned from Richmond to Jackson, Mississippi. They represent the health of the illustrious prisoner as much improved since his release from imprisonment.

R. C. Merryman, of Marion, a white delegate elect to the Convention, last Sunday week, disclosed to Mr. W. G. Grace a plot of the negroes to go into Meridian in an armed body, of which they insisted, that he (Merryman) should be the leader. In consequence, Merryman, another white man, and four negroes were arrested; he telling substantially the same story, but in presence of the negroes he prevaricated. The commandant at Meridian believing the story to be a fabrication, dismissed the case.

**ALABAMA ITEMS.**

The grand Lodge, Chapter and Council met Monday week ago at Montgomery.

The editor of the Eufaula *News* has been gathering strawberries—Wilson's Albany.

The Greenville *Daily Advocate* has completed its first year, and speaks of enlarging.

General Swayne is understood to be acting promptly for the restoration of order in Bullock county.

The Wilcox *Vindicator* hoists the names of C. L. Vallandigham for President, and H. H. Haight for Vice President.

James Austen, son of General W. A. Austen, of Jackson county, was thrown from his horse and killed a few days ago.

Mr. Dave Nowlin, killed a negro near Meridianville, Wednesday night last. He was acquitted.

Last Friday near Troy, Dr. Daily shot a Mr. Wilkins, seventy years old. The first shot killed him, but Daily fired twice afterwards and then escaped.

At Northport, on the 3d instant, John Mabry inflicted a fatal stab on John Christian, who was approaching him in a threatening manner.

A little negro boy at Montgomery, Monday, was caught in the machinery of a sausage factory and suffered amputation of the foot in consequence.

The Livingston *Journal* recognizes the course of Mr. Rolfe in the Convention as having been much more conservative than was expected.

A few days since a Mrs. Cook, in Madison county, put arsenic in her dough by mistake for soda, the consequence of which was the death of the whole family—herself, her husband and three children.

Robert Burton, employed on the Memphis and Charleston railroad, an ex-Confederate soldier from Limestone county, was crushed to death while coupling cars at Madison station, on the 3d.

The trouble at Perote, Bullock county, still continued Friday morning, the whites guarding the jail to prevent a rescue, and the negroes, having abandoned their farms, being in council somewhere.

The Huntsville *Independent* says that, notwithstanding hundreds of negroes are idle in Marion county, a large part of the cotton now in the field will perish because hands cannot be got to pick it.

The Huntsville *Independent* says Mr. Stephen Ewing died at Aberdeen, Mississippi, a few days ago. He came from Virginia, in 1808, to Huntsville. As a merchant and planter he was upright and thrifty. For many years he was President of the Branch Bank of Alabama, at Huntsville. One who knew him well says, never was there a more honest man.

**MEETING OF DAVIS AND LEE.**

**The Postponement of the Davis Trial.**

Correspondence New York Times.]

RICHMOND, November 26.

The great agony is over, and the Davis trial did not take place. The Chief Justice wrote a letter of instructions to Judge Underwood the night before, telling him to continue the case. The audience in the court room was the grandest and most select that has ever appeared in Virginia. All eyes, all thoughts, all hopes, all curiosity were centered in Charles O'Conor—everybody watched to see and hear the great lawyer, and, when he rose to speak, stillness "reigned profound" in the halls of Justice. The defense was ready, but the Government was not.

DAVIS AND LEE.

These men met on Monday evening in the parlor of Judge Ould's mansion. In the North you all know Judge Ould. He was the kind and gentle Commissioner of Exchange, and together with General Mulford, gained an enviable reputation with both armies. Well, General Bob Lee, or as the people of the South delight to call him, in negro parlance, Marsa Robert, came down from Lexington on Monday, unaccompanied by his sons Custis or F. H.

They took rooms at the Exchange Hotel. The same evening General Lee went up to Judge Ould's house on Governor street, to visit the man who had ruled the Confederacy, and who had, perhaps, been an obstacle in his path to victory, as well as in his path to peace. They met in Judge Ould's parlor, and shook hands cordially, for it was their first meeting since some three weeks before the surrender of the lines at Petersburg. After admitting General Lee to the parlor, Judge Ould closed the door and remained outside. Their interview was private, and I shall not attempt to pierce the vail.

LEE IN RICHMOND.

The people here love old Bob Lee as never people loved a man. As the Scotch loved Bruce and Wallace, so does the South stand by her heroes. Therefore, the arrival of Uncle Robert in the city was the signal for a silent sensation. To-day he was before the grand jury, which is in session to frame a new indictment. One of the grand jury has just informed me that the indictment has been made; but his mouth was sealed.

This has certainly been a stirring week in the poverty-stricken city of Richmond. All the great men of the State have been here. John Letcher was at the Exchange. I heard a man address him: "Governor," said he, "how do you do?" "Well," said the Governor, "I don't think I know you." Putting his spectacles upon his rubicund nose, he looked at the individual for a few moments, and after hesitating, said, "Oh, yes, I recollect you; you are the author of 'Cause and Contrast'—well, what are you doing now?" "Oh, I'm practicing law and keeping up the rebellion." "Ah," said the Governor, "I fear that you are very badly reconstructed. I myself have been trying to get reconstructed, but they won't let me."

The most surprising reaction has taken place to-day in favor of General Grant. His testimony before the Impeachment Committee has endeared him to every Southern man. It is such little things, as the General-in-Chief says, that makes us good Union men. A little bit of kindness goes a long way down here.

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**DRY GOODS FOR EVERYBODY.**

**$50,000 Slaughtered.**

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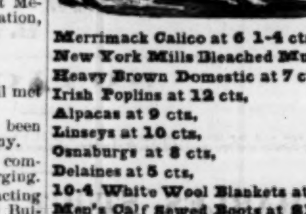


Merrimack Calico at 6 1-4 cts.
New York Mills Bleached Muslin at 11c.
Heavy Brown Domestic at 7 cts.
Irish Poplins at 12 cts.
Alpacas at 9 cts.
Linseys at 10 cts.
Osnaburgs at 8 cts.
Delaines at 5 cts.
10-4 White Wool Blankets at 90 cts.
Men's Calf Sewed Boots at $1 25.
Men's Wax Brogans, at 15 cts.
Women's Shoes, all styles, at 10 cts.
Coats' Spool Thread we throw in.
Men's White Shirts, 40 cts.

THESE are the prices that STRAUSS & BLUM will sell their goods at after they commence their

**Selling Off**

Sale, and this will take place when their competitors have got through with their

**Great Clearing Sale,**

As the presumption is that this will take place

**Before the First of January Next.**

And as they are not

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They will still hold on to their old prices until further notice.

Don't forget the place.

STRAUSS & BLUM,
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Next door to Ward & Leinster's Drug Store.

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**J. DOLFINGER & CO.**

IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN

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Bar Room Fixtures, Table Cutlery

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HAVING received a new and large assortment of the above, selected with great care for this market, and bought at the lowest CASH prices, we now offer the same to our friends, customers, and the public in general, at lowest possible prices. An examination of our stock is respectfully solicited. se9

**VENDIG & BROTHER,**

No 226 Main Street.

WE would call the attention of the public to the fact, that having entirely altered and improved our premises, we are desirous of selling out the present

**Stock of Dry Goods**

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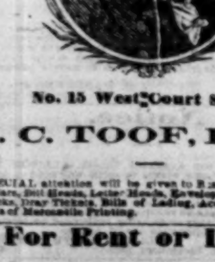

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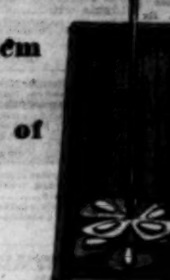

Why, one of the "Finley Churn Dashers."

**Why do you ask me that question, sir?**

BECAUSE one of them is needed, no doubt, and that badly, among your household conveniences, that the laborious and troublesome item of churning may become an agreeable recreation to the ladies, upon whom such duties usually devolve.

**What's the Article? What's the description? What's it do, pray, sir?**

Well, it is simply two screw propeller wheels attached to the lower end of a staff or handle which is placed in the "old fashioned" wooden or tin churn, and worked in the same manner precisely as the "old dasher"; these two wheels revolve rapidly and in counter direction at every up and down movement of the "Dasher," completely dissipating and cutting the cream into the minutest particles; while at the same time by aid of the "air beds" in each division of the wheels, keeps the whole body of the cream supplied with constant currents of fresh air, thus securing by the simplest process the true principles of "Good Butter Making."

**Well, sir, is the thing simple—very simple?**

Why, so very simple when SEEN, that not a word of explanation is necessary. Why "Biddy," "Aunt Dinah," or the eight year old child can both UNDERSTAND and USE it, and couldn't for their lives imagine any other purpose for it.

**Is it Durable and Substantial, sir?**

It is made of the best Sheet Zinc—will not rust—strong—neat, and with ordinary care, will last as long as you and your grand children's children.

**Long enough. Well, my friend, does it make GOOD BUTTER and QUICK?**

It does not only make GOOD BUTTER, but about ONE-FOURTH MORE, to a given amount of cream, under like circumstances of quality and temperature, and in about ONE HALF THE TIME required by the use of the "old dasher." And, however, quite ready to confess that it will not make Butter as QUICK as the boasted "Five Minute" and other "Lightning" Churns, nor would we have it so quick, for the very plain and simple reason that the extraordinary rapid operation of such Churns imparts to the butter a WHITE, PUFFY, FROTHY STUFF, instead of those RICH, GRAINY, WAXY, FIRM and LIVELY QUALITIES which constitute REAL GOOD BUTTER.

Well, sir, I have one of the "old fashioned" Churns—an old family relic of several generations past, and do I understand you that nothing more is required than one of the "FINLEY DASHERS"?

Nothing else whatever to compose the SIMPLEST, CHEAPEST, and MOST SATISFACTORY CHURNING APPARATUS that the world has yet produced.

Well, friend, once more—excuse me, sir—right well pleased, but a little suspicious. Can't help it. Are you sure this is not one of the Yankee humbugs—one of the "Machine Nutmegs," or one of the "stick of the Univer e Hams" sort of tricks; such have that would, to look at me, bring a "boost goose" price to the pitch of the most fastidious epicure—but with somewhat of a change in the "programme and scene" when each g e t y o u at all the cost after many fruitless efforts to slice a steak or two. Can't such looks and such "sugaring," as all understand who have been "dearly done for."

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**Dissolution of Partnership.**

THE firm of N. H. STOUT & BROTHER, hardware dealers, is dissolved.

This the 5th day of October, 1867.

By the death of Mr. N. H. STOUT. All parties having claims against the firm are hereby requested to present the same for payment. All indebted will please call and settle without delay.

[illegible], Surviving Partner.

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***Attachment Suit.***

Peter Lawless vs. Patrick Wheat.

THE defendant, Patrick Wheat, will please take notice that an attachment was issued against his estate for the sum of two hundred and one dollars, upon the ground that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, and the same having been returned, levied, etc.; it is therefore ordered that the said defendant enter his appearance on or before the 7th day of January, 1868, to plead, answer or demur to the said plaintiff's complaint, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche. This December 3, 1867.

de4 S. A. MOORE, J. P.

***Administrator's Notice.***

FRANCES LOWRENCE having qualified as administratrix of the estate of Levi Lowrence, deceased, all persons having claims against said estate are required to present them to her as required by law, or they will be barred; and those indebted to it to come forward and make payment.

de4 FRANCES LOWRENCE, Administratrix.

***Sheriff's Sale.***

Lindauer, Arnold & Co. vs. N. E. and A. F. Mason.

UNDER and by virtue of an order of sale, in the above stated cause, to me directed, from the Law Court of Memphis, I will,

On Monday, the 16th day of December, 1867,

Offer and sell to the highest bidder for cash, between the hours of 10 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m., on said day, in front of the Court House door in the city of Memphis, Shelby county, Tennessee, the following described personal property: One piano forte of Chickering & Sons, one wooden spring mattress, one foot bath, one pearl counter, sixteen family pictures, one black walnut bureau, four pair curtains, one stand and one table, and other personal property, described in the return of the officer on the attachment. Said property was attached as the property of the above named defendants in the above named cause, and will be sold to satisfy the order of sale granted therein.

de6 P. M. WINTERS, Sheriff of Shelby County.

***Sheriff's Sale.***

UNDER and by virtue of a distress warrant in the name of the State of Tennessee vs. the proprietors of the Canterbury Music Hall, issued to me by John Loague, Clerk of the Shelby County Court, I will,

On Monday, December 16, 1867,

Between the hours of 10 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m., offer and sell to the highest bidder, for cash, on the premises of the Canterbury Music Hall, corner of Main and Monroe streets, Memphis, Tennessee, the following described personal property: One lot of seats, consisting of benches and chairs; bar fixtures, oil lamps, scenery, etc. Said property was levied on as the property of the proprietors of said Music Hall, and will be sold to satisfy said distress warrant and costs.

By JAMES F. LANGFORD, D. S. P. M. WINTERS, Sheriff of Shelby County.

Guardian Settlement in County Court of Shelby.

To Willie J. Ward and Lucy V. Blackwell, formerly Ward, minors of T. R. Ward.

I HAVE filed a settlement, ending 1st December 1866 with the clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the January term, 1st of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

Approved November 18, 1867.

JOHN LOAGUE, Clerk. B. S. TAYLOR, Guardian. no30

***Administrator's Notice.***

TO all whom it may Concern—Having taken out letters of administration on the estate of

**N. H. STOUT, deceased,**

I hereby notify all persons having claims against the same to come forward and present them, properly authenticated, etc., within the time prescribed by law, or they will be forever barred.

no14 CHARLES STOUT, Administrator.

***In County Court of Shelby County.***

December Term, 1867—Charles S. Slater vs. Robert Slater et al.; T. F. Slater, Guardian. Petition for Sale of Lands for Division.

IN this cause it appearing from the petition that Robert Slater, Sarah E. Slater, Joseph W. Slater, Catharine Slater and Mary Slater, minor heirs of Sarah Slater, are residents of Texas; it is ordered by the Court that publication for four weeks be made in the Memphis Avalanche, citing them to appear before the Court House door, Memphis, Tennessee, at the January term of said Court, in the city of Memphis, at the January term of said Court, to plead, answer or demur to said petition, or the same will be taken for confessed, as to them, and heard ex parte.

JOHN LOAGUE, Clerk.

FINLAY & KELLAR, Solicitors. de4

***Trust Sale.***

BY virtue of a deed of trust executed to me on the 28th day of April, 1866, by John Snuss and H. W. Griebel, to secure to John R. Liddel in the payment of a note owed and unpaid and which deed of trust is of record in the Register's office of Shelby county, State of Tennessee, in book 58, part 2, pages 368 and 369, I shall, by virtue of said deed of trust, proceed to sell to the highest bidder, for cash, in front of the Titus Block, Jefferson street, in the city of Memphis, I on

On Tuesday, December 10, 1867,

Between the hours of ten and two o'clock p.m., lots one, two and three, in Liddell Subdivision, each lot fronting on McLean avenue and extending back ... The title to the property is believed good. The equity of redemption is waived, but I only convey as trustee.

no9 G. H. MONSARRAT, Trustee.

***Sheriff's Sale.***

UNDER and by virtue of a venditioni exponas to me directed from the Circuit Court of Shelby county, in a case wherein J. O. Conner is plaintiff and Thomas Carrigan is defendant, I will,

On Monday, December 23, 1867,

Between the hours of 10 o'clock a.m. and four o'clock p.m., offer and sell to the highest and best bidder, for cash, in front of the Court House door, Memphis, Tennessee, the following described real estate, viz: situated in section 1, subdivision No. 105, entered in the name of James Kimball, containing 152 acres, and beginning at a stake on the southeast bank of the Nonconnah Creek ... [illegible] as the James Kimball tract, being the same tract sold formerly by Thomas Carrigan to Carrigan and Ryan.
The title and interest of defendant in above described tract of land will be sold in obedience to above venditioni exponas; said property having been levied on as the property of defendant to satisfy an execution in favor of plaintiff.

no22 P. M. WINTERS, Sheriff of Shelby County.

Law Court of Memphis—Clerk's Office, November 12, 1867—Steiner Brothers, plaintiffs, vs. Mike Studebaker and Ben Rosell, partners, etc., defendants.—Attachment Suit.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this case that defendants are non-residents of the State of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned levied upon property of defendants; it is ordered that said defendants appear before said Court, ... in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on ... or the same will be taken for confessed as to them and the cause set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published for four consecutive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

JOHN DONOVAN, Clerk.

A copy—Attest: JOHN W. GRAHAM, D. C. AYRES & RANDOLPH, Attorneys for Plaintiffs. no15

Circuit Court, Shelby County, Tennessee—W. L. Granam, Trustee, vs. ... [illegible]

IT is ordered ... [illegible]

M. D. L. STEWART, Clerk.

No. 818—In the Chancery Court at Memphis, Tennessee—T. J. ... Administrator, et al. vs. Henry Miller and F. Weber.

IT appearing from Sheriff's return in this cause that the defendants ... [illegible] ... a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks, in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest: AUGUSTUS ALSTON, Clerk and Master.

By R. J. BLACK, Deputy C. & M.
McDOWELL & MARTIN, Sols. for Complainant.

In the Circuit Court of Shelby County, Tennessee—Rebecca A. Binkle vs. J. W. Binkle.

IT appearing from affidavit in this cause that the defendant, J. W. Binkle, is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee ... [illegible] ... in the Memphis Avalanche.

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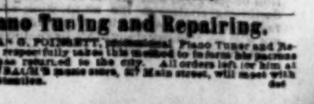

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